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FRENCH CABINET HAS RESIGNED

ACTION CAUSES POLITICAL SENSATION

Premier's Opponents in His Own Party Accused of Plotting Overthrow

Paris, Feb. 27.—Premier Briand and the whole French cabinet resigned at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

The decision to retire was reached on Saturday afternoon at a conference in the premier's office, when the political situation was thoroughly canvassed. The bare majority of sixteen which the government received Friday night in a vote of confidence in the chamber of deputies following the premier's arraignment by the radical Socialists, Louis Malvy and Paul Meunier, was a sore blow to the premier and his associates, who had been sustained many times in previous crises by much larger votes. In the end M. Briand said he was "sick of it all."

The decision of the ministry to withdraw has caused an enormous political sensation. The Conservative newspapers declare that the forces of extreme radicalism are triumphing over sane and progressive reform, regarding the clerical issue which was raised on Friday as a mere pretext to attain M. Briand's downfall. They point out that it is ridiculous to accuse the man who constructed the separation law of clericalism, and now that the church and state are completely divorced, M. Briand has been following out a general programme of "appeasement." The vote in the chamber of deputies therefore, is interpreted as the result of an intrigue among M. Briand's adversaries in his own party, who have been plotting his overthrow since the great crisis in the railway strike and blocking the premier's programme of arbitration in labor disputes in connection with public service corporations.

NEW TRAIN FOR COAST.

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, Feb. 27.—The Canadian Pacific has decided to put on a magnificent through train from Toronto to Vancouver next March. Business is increasing so rapidly that the Montreal express cannot even now accommodate passengers arriving here daily by the Toronto-Winnipeg train bound to the Pacific coast points, particularly Vancouver and Victoria.

FREIGHT CARS WRECKED.

Thrown Down Embankment and Smashed to Pieces.

(Special to the Times.)

Toronto, Feb. 27.—Seventeen Grand Trunk railway freight cars, heavily laden, were thrown down the embankment west of the Humber river yesterday morning and piled in a heap. Most of the cars were reduced to kindling wood and their contents, consisting almost wholly of grain, was scattered broadcast. Alex. Paton, a sectionman, had his leg broken. The freight was bound from Port Huron to Portland. It was 10 o'clock last night before the line was clear. The monetary loss will reach $25,000.

INVESTIGATION IS DEMANDED BY JUDGE

Woman Declares She Handed Him $3,000 Before He Sent the Miners to Jail

(Times Leased Wire.)

Denver, Colo., Feb. 27.—District Judge Whitford appeared to-day in the criminal court here and demanded a grand jury investigation of statements made before a legislative committee by Mrs. Margaret Miller that she had handed Whitford $3,000 in cash three days before he sentenced 16 miners to jail for contempt, incurred in violating an injunction issued by him.

The statement of Mrs. Miller was made before a committee investigating impeachment proceedings brought against Whitford by the Federation of Labor. She alleged that a man, whose name was not revealed, gave her the $3,000 and asked her to hand it to Whitford, giving her $10 for her trouble. She said this man was formerly an agent for the Mine Owners' association of Cripple Creek. She asserted that her conscience inspired her to appear voluntarily before the committee and tell her story.

Mrs. Miller is out of the penitentiary on parole, having been sentenced to serve a term on the charge of having killed Mrs. Sarah Alt of Cripple Creek.

Judge Whitford appeared personally in court, recited in full the charge made against him by Mrs. Miller and said:

"If this charge is true I should not only be impeached, but indicted, convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for the full term of the statutory period."

Criminal Judge Bliss promised to consider Judge Whitford's request.

EIGHT INDIANS KILLED IN FIGHT

FOUR OTHERS CAPTURED BY STATE POLICE

Two Squaws and Two Children Accidentally Shot During the Battle

(Times Leased Wire.)

Reno, Nev., Feb. 27.—News of a battle between state troops and Indians yesterday at Kelly ranch, 40 miles west of Tuscarora, in which eight of the Indians were killed, four captured and one of the state police, Jack Herlie was killed, reached here to-day. In the fight two squaws and two children were accidentally killed and one squaw, and two children were captured.

The band of Indians wiped out in the fight was the one which had murdered four wealthy stockmen in northwestern Tashoe county more than a month ago. Since then posses, under Sheriff Ferrell and officers of the state police have been constantly on their trail, through hundreds of miles of mountain canyons from the scene of the massacre at Little High Rock canyon.

Just at noon yesterday a posse of state police who were striving to cut off the Indian fugitives from the Pyramid Lake reservation to which they were fleeing, came upon the band at Kelly's ranch.

As soon as they sighted the police the Indians opened fire, taking cover behind every available rock and tree. For more than three hours the battle was fought before a rush ended the red men's resistance.

There is no doubt but that the band wiped out was that which killed the stockmen. Watches and property belonging to the massacred victims wer found among the Indians' effects after the battle.

When the posse and the Indians clashed, the bucks and police both took to cover and the Indians opened fire at once. Before long their ammunition was exhausted and they fell back upon the bows and arrows of their forefathers, fighting with desperation until all were down and chanting their death song which rang out above the rattle of their pursuers' rifles.

The end of the fight came with the killing of the last buck when the members of the posse rushed out into the open and disarmed the two squaws who survived. They succeeded, however, only after a desperate fight, one of the squaws putting up a fierce battle.

The captured squaws and children will be brought to Golconda and then transferred to Reno.

AERONAUTICS IN BRITISH ARMY.

Over Half Million Dollars for This Branch of Service.

London, Feb. 27.—The army estimates for 1911-12 show a total of $138,450,000. This is $350,000 less than the estimates for the preceding year. In an accompanying memorandum War Secretary Haldane points out that there is a disquieting shortage of qualified candidates at the Royal Military college at Sandhurst and suggests that special inducements will be made in order to fill the commissioned ranks.

The sum of $565,000 is provided for the aeronautic branch of the army. Five aeroplanes and three dirigible balloons are now available and these will be supplemented so soon as trials demonstrate what are the best types.

DICTATORSHIP PROBABLE.

Will Probably be Established in Portlary dictatorship until the presidential in April.

Lisbon, via Fuents de Onaro, Spain, Feb. 27.—Ruling of Portugal by a militarl dictatorship until the presidential election in April is believed to be imminent to-day. Troops sent to suppress Royalist outbreaks are acting with great severity. It is believed that Minister Machedo will control the dictatorship if such a regime is established.

JOURNALIST'S FUNERAL.

(Special to the Times.)

London, Feb. 27.—The funeral of the late Chas. R. Robertson, London correspondent of the Canadian Associated Press, who died at Brighton on Wednesday last, took place to-day at Putney. Lord Strathcona, who previously sent a telegram of condolence, was represented. Others who attended were Joseph Martin, M.P., Donald Murray and many Canadian officials in London, together with British and colonial journalists. Beautiful wreaths were sent from all parts.

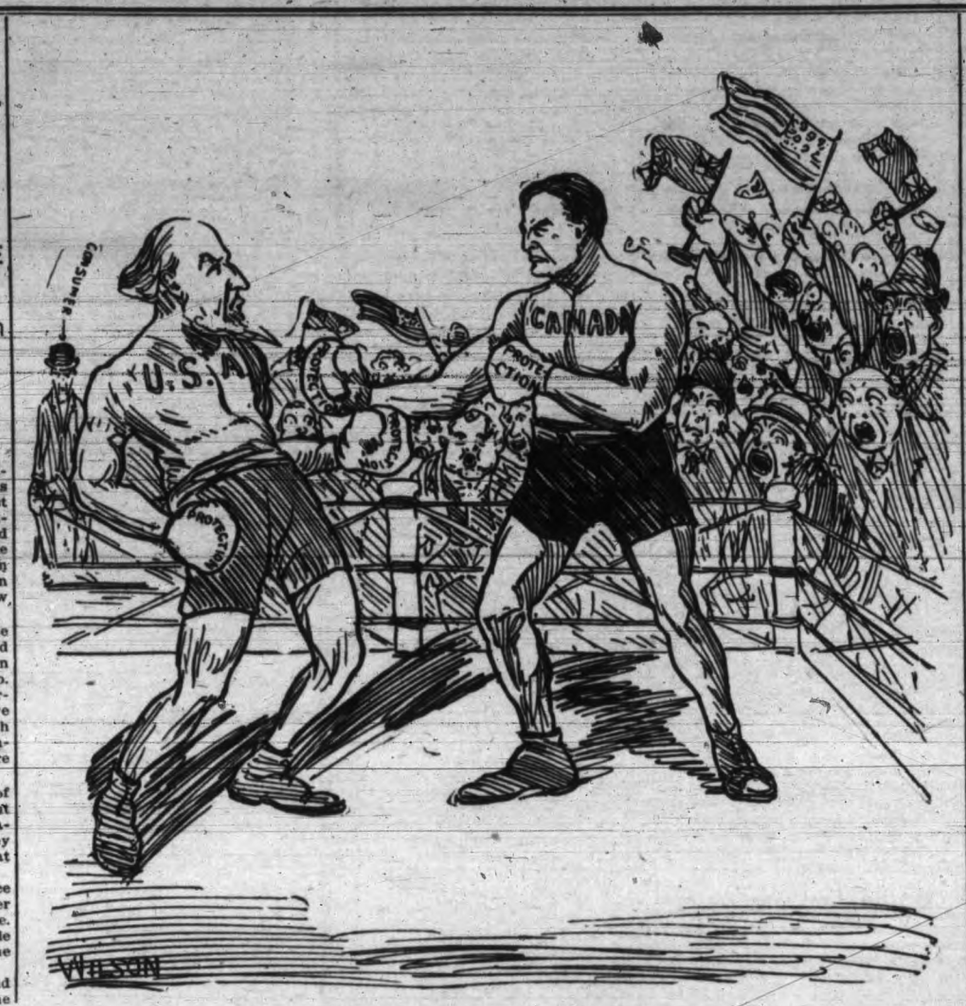
FILIBUSTERS CAPTURED.

Five Sailors Are Returned to Flagship by Soldiers.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 27.—With the capture and the return to the flagship California of five sailors ends the first attempt at filibustering to aid the Mexican rebels in lower California.

Ensign Roades, of the California, four marines, five cavalrymen and a deputy United States marshal effected the capture south of San Diego.

The men were taken to Coronado and returned to the flagship.



JINGO VIEW OF RECIPROCITY.

YANKEE PROTECTIONISTS AND STANDPATTERS—Hand him an annexation upper cut, Uncle!

BRITISH AND CANADIAN PROTECTIONISTS AND STANDPATTERS—'It 'im in the breadbaskit, Johnny!

MUTINY AMONG TURKISH TROOPS

SOLDIERS FORTIFY THEMSELVES IN PALACE

Large Force Preparing to Attack Body of Mutineers in Constantinople

(Times Leased Wire.)

Philippopolis, Bulgaria, Feb. 27.—Mutiny by the garrison of the Yildiz palace, which objected to being sent against the rebels of the Yemen district, is reported to-day in dispatches received here from Constantinople.

With the Yildiz mutineers are a battery of artillery and the rebels are fortifying themselves in the palace against expected attack by a large detachment of troops and police which surround the fortress. A fight is likely to-day.

Little news of the crisis has come out of Constantinople, as the censorship is of the strictest kind. It is believed that the strongest measures will be taken to suppress the revolt, as there is great danger that it may spread from Constantinople to the army.

FUNERAL OF FRENCH MINISTER.

Paris, Feb. 27.—Premier Briand delivered the funeral address over the body of the late Minister Brun at the Austerlitz railway station here to-day. Two miles of solid troops lined the route taken to the station by the funeral cortege.

The body of Minister Brun was interred this afternoon at Marmand.

FISHERMEN ADRIFT ON BIG ICE FLOE

One Hundred Men Reported Safe—Four Hundred Not Yet Accounted for

(Times Leased Wire.)

St. Petersburg, Feb. 27.—Reports to-day from Narva and Helsingfords were to the effect that approximately 100 of the 500 fishermen who went adrift on an ice floe in the Gulf of Finland are safe to-day.

One portion of the floe, carrying about 45 men has been driven ashore near Helskar island, and another portion with about the same number of men has grounded near Kolwisto, in Bjorko Sound.

WILL KING YET REIGN IN STATES?

DEBATE ON DIRECT ELECTION OF SENATORS

Rayner of Maryland Declares Change Needed If People Cannot Govern Themselves

(Times Leased Wire.)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—"If we can't govern ourselves, let us have a king," was the meat of an address by Rayner of Maryland, in the senate today, speaking to the resolution for the direct election of United States senators.

"I would rather trust the people than a legislature," said Rayner, "and I consider that the carrying out of this resolution would be the greatest political reform in a generation.

"If the people haven't the intelligence to select their own representatives then we had better submit a constitutional amendment and change the government to a monarchy. If the people must have political slave masters, let us invest them with a royal power, for it will have been shown that the republic is a failure.

"One senator has said that the resolution before this chamber would wreck the constitution and founder the ship of state. I venture to say that no amendment will ever be made to the constitution that will impair the spirit of that instrument. The ship of state will easily weather a gale that has practically spent itself in this chamber. It may be necessary to change pilots, to jettison part of the cargo, the shores may be strewn with stranded hulks, but, armed with manhood and courage, the honor of the nation and the ship of state are safe."

THIRTY MEN FOUND FROZEN TO DEATH

Their Ice Boat Falls Into Crevasse in the Caspian Sea

(Times Leased Wire.)

Astrakhan, Russia, Feb. 27.—Thirty men who formed the crew of an ice boat on the Caspian sea were found today frozen to death.

Their ice boat had plunged into a crevice, and though the men escaped the water, they froze before they could reach a fire.

EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS CERTAIN

VOTE ON RECIPROCITY WILL BE DELAYED

Debate in Senate on Bill Held Up by Consideration of Lorimer Case

(Times Leased Wire.)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—Both Republican and Democratic leaders today told President Taft that an extra session of congress was inevitable if he is determined to get a vote on Canadian reciprocity.

Senator Bailey declared he would prevent a vote on a permanent tariff board and the regulars have offered to agree if the Progressives, on their part, will permit a vote on reciprocity and on the Lorimer case. As the Democrats intend to filibuster against the Progressive plan, a tie-up seems certain.

By a vote of 66 to 12 the senate this afternoon decided to continue consideration of the Lorimer case, and Senator Crawford commenced speaking. Senator Stone announced that he would address the senate Wednesday.

Senator Jones of Washington "was up a tree" to-day because of conflicting telegrams received from Seattle constituents bearing on the reciprocity measure. He read both in the senate. One message was signed by lumber and logging firms and urged him to support the measure. Another was signed by Seattle bankers, who asked him to oppose the agreement, saying the passage of the treaty would ruin all industries involved.

WAR ON TRUSTS IN AUSTRALIA

Minister of Trade and Commerce Says Government Will Take Action

(Times Leased Wire.)

Melbourne, Feb. 27.—Declaring that the Australian government "will not permit a repetition of the scandals and the merciless methods of monopolies in other countries," the minister of trade and customs announced here to-day that the government would at once proceed against every trust in operation in the commonwealth.

MAYOR AND ALDERMEN ARE AGAIN IN OFFICE

House Passed Enabling Act This Afternoon and His Honor Attended to Give Royal Assent--Terms of the Bill.

Legislative Press Gallery, Feb. 27.

Victoria is again in possession of a city council, empowered to carry on all the routine of civic business. The very first thing done at the first morning sitting of the House was the introduction by Premier McBride of a bill to provide for a special election of mayor and aldermen for the city, incidental to which the old council is authorized to carry on the affairs of the capital. The bill was put through committee at once, and this afternoon his honor attended and gave the royal assent to it.

The premier, in introducing the bill, spoke of the urgency of the measure, and asked for immediate action on it. This the House agreed to, and after first and second readings went into committee on it. The preamble and the sections validating the acts of the council and continuing them in office temporarily are as follows:

"Whereas an election for the purpose of electing mayor and aldermen for the city of Victoria was held on the 12th day of January, 1911, and as the result of such election A. J. Morley was elected mayor of the said city of Victoria, and W. C. Moresby, W. F. Fullerton, W. McKay Ross, Alex Peden, William Gleason, H. M. Fullerton, Geo. Okell, W. H. Langley, W. M. Russell Humber and H. F. Bishop were elected aldermen of the said city of Victoria:

"And whereas the election of the said mayor has been declared invalid by the courts on the ground that the list of voters used in such election was not properly compiled, and therefore not a valid list:

"And whereas the list of voters used for the election of the said aldermen was the same list as was used for the election of the said mayor, and therefore the election of the said aldermen was not valid:

"And whereas it is necessary and expedient to hold as quickly as possible a new election for mayor and aldermen of the said city of Victoria and to compile a new list of voters for the said election, and until such new election to provide for the government of the said city of Victoria:

"And whereas neither the Municipal Elections Act nor the Municipal Clauses Act contain provisions for the compilation of a new list of voters under the circumstances which have arisen, and it is necessary to make special provisions therefor and for the holding of an election on the said new list:

"Therefore, his Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the legislative assembly of the province of British Columbia enacts as follows:

"1. It is hereby declared that the election of mayor and aldermen for the said city of Victoria held on the 12th day of January, 1911, is null and void, and it is hereby declared that the mayor and council for the said city of Victoria, elected in the year 1910, discontinued office on the said 12th day of January, 1911, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in section 86 of the Municipal Clauses Act.

"2. All acts and things done and proceedings entered into, done, or passed and by-laws passed by the said A. J Morley and W. C. Moresby, W. F. Fullerton, W. McKay, Alex Peden, Wm. Gleason, H. M. Fullerton, Geo. Okell, W. H. Langley, W. M. Russell Humber and H. F. Bishop, the aldermen sitting and acting as the mayor and council of the said city of Victoria from the 12th day of January, 1911, to the 21st day of February, 1911, shall, notwithstanding anything to the contrary, be deemed to be valid to all intents and purposes whatsoever, just as if the said mayor and council had been properly elected: Always provided, that the same were within the jurisdiction and powers of the said mayor and aldermen if they had been properly elected.

"3. The said A. J. Morley and the said W. C. Moresby, W. F. Fullerton, W. McKay Ross, Alex Peden, Wm. Gleason, H. M. Fullerton, Geo. Okell, W. H. Langley, W. M. Russell Humber and H. F. Bishop shall be deemed to be respectively the mayor and council of the said city of Victoria from the 12th day of January, 1911, until a date to be fixed by the lieutenant-governor in council by proclamation published once in the British Columbia Gazette, upon which date the said offices of mayor and aldermen shall be and become vacant, and during the said period the said mayor and aldermen shall have the same full and complete powers to carry on the following as if the said mayor and aldermen had been duly elected:

"(a) All necessary routine business of the city of Victoria:

"(b) The payment of all city officials and employees and of all moneys payable or to become payable under any contract:

"(c) The payment of all interest and capital falling due in respect of any present indebtedness of the city:

"(d) Works under construction or works already under contract to be constructed:

"Provided that nothing in this clause shall permit the council to enter into any new contract for the undertaking of new work; and further always provided, the said mayor and aldermen shall not have, during said period, any power to pass any money by-laws or to submit the same to the voters of the said city of Victoria."

While acting the mayor and aldermen will be entitled to the usual remuneration. They are declared not to be liable to any penalties for anything done by them from January 12 to February 21. The lieutenant-governor in council may declare their temporary offices vacant as at a date to be fixed by proclamation, and may appoint two dates later than this for nomination and polling days. The mayor and aldermen shall fix the place for holding nominations, the polling places, a returning officer and a deputy returning officer, "who shall preside at the respective polling places and shall, previous to the day of nomination, furnish the returning officer with a list of voters for each ward, and otherwise arrange for the holding of the election herein provided for."

Preparing Voters' List.

The lieutenant-governor in council shall appoint a commissioner to prepare a new list of voters, upon which the election shall be held, and which, "when finally certified by the commissioner, shall be deemed to be absolutely valid, binding and conclusive, and no appeal or application to the courts of any sort whatsoever shall lie to vary, quash, change or question in any way, or to effect the said list of voters." The qualifications of voters are thus set forth:

(a) Any male or female being a British subject of the full age of 21 years who is the registered owner of real estate of the assessed value of not less than one hundred dollars, situate within the said city of Victoria on the 12th day of January, 1911:

(b) Any male or female who is of the full age of twenty-one years, who is the representative, being a resident British subject, duly authorized by the directors of an incorporated company which is the registered owner of lands of the assessed value of not less than one hundred dollars, situate within the city of Victoria on the 12th day of January, 1911:

(c.) Any male or female being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years who carries on business within the city of Victoria, and is the holder of a trade license the annual fee of which is not less than $5, for any part of the year 1910, and who duly filed last October the statutory declaration required.

(d.) Any male or female, being a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, who was a householder within the meaning of the "Municipal Elections Act" within the city in the year 1910, and duly filed last October the statutory declaration required.

After the list has been prepared it is to be posted at the city hall for at least five days before the court of revision. The commissioner shall hold a court of revision at the city hall with the ordinary powers of that court, and after he has certified the list he shall have it printed. A copy is to be posted up at the city hall and in three conspicuous places in the city, and remain so until election day. The commissioner shall have power to employ and pay all necessary professional and clerical assistance. He is to have free access to all books and documents and the

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SIR W. MACKENZIE'S VIEWS ON RECIPROCITY

Does Not Think Fruit Growers Will Be Seriously Affected

Winnipeg, Feb. 27.—In a cable received here from Sir William Mackenzie he says his views on the proposed reciprocity agreement have been misrepresented. He is of the opinion that some details of the treaty are good and some are bad. He does not think the fruit growers will be seriously affected and he says the railways will see to it that western Canada wheat will continue to go to the lakes, and not to the American milling centres. He says nothing in the agreement will hurry annexation or affect business between eastern and western Canada.

CARRIAGE WORKS BURNED.

Montreal, Feb. 27.—A fire caused damage to the extent of about $20,000. The outbreak started in the Brault carriage works on St. Antoine street. There was a high wind at the time, and the flames spread with great rapidity to the adjoining building occupied by Rosseau Garage Company. There were several explosions of gasoline and a quantity of varnish about the place helped the conflagration. The Negro Club's premises above the works was also entirely burned out.

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OBITUARY RECORD

William Moss, one of Victoria's oldest and most respected pioneers, passed away very suddenly yesterday morning at the residence of his son, Henry Moss, 1144 Yates street. The deceased appeared in the best of health in the early morning and was just getting ready for church when he was heard to fall. His son ran to his assistance, and after laying him on the sofa, immediately sent for Dr. Frank Hall. The doctor, after his examination, pronounced the case one of heart failure and said that Mr. Moss was dead before he reached the floor. The late Mr. Moss was 85 years of age and was born on the borders of Lancashire and Yorkshire, England. He came to Victoria in 1883 and has lived in retirement at the residence of his son ever since. He is survived by two sons, J. R. Moss, a prominent business man in Buenos Ayres, South America, and Henry Moss, commission merchant, Wharf street; four grandchildren, Henry, Alice and Bell Moss, and Mrs. J. Worthington, and one great grandchild in this city, and two more grandchildren in Buenos Ayres, South America. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2.15 p. m. from the house and at 2.30 from the St. Barnabas English church, of which the deceased was a regular attendant.

Alexander Munro, one of the few remaining pioneers of this province, passed away this morning at the family residence, 645 Michigan street. The deceased had been ailing for a number of years and was forced to take to his bed three weeks ago. He gradually sank until death came this morning. The late Mr. Munro was born in Tain, Rossshire, Scotland, in 1824. In early life he was engaged in different pursuits—law, banking, etc.—first in Scotland and afterwards in England. He arrived on Vancouver Island in 1857 in the Hudson's Bay Company's service, and has since remained in Victoria. He witnessed the great gold rush in 1858. For many years he was factor of the Hudson's Bay Company and accountant of their western department and also had charge of all their lands, as well as those of the Puget Sound Agricultural company in this province. At the time of his retirement, 21 years ago, he was senior chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Company. Mr. Munro is survived by four sons, A. K., A. D. and W. J. Munro of this city, and K. V. Munro, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Chilliwack; three daughters, Mrs. R. P. Rithet, Mrs. J. Keith Wilson and Mrs. Capt. John Irving of this city, and seven grandchildren. The funeral has been arranged to take place on Wednesday from the house. The time will be announced later.

The funeral of the late Thomas Davidson took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the Victoria Undertaking parlors. Services were conducted by members of the Moulders' union, which was in full attendance. The following acted as pallbearers: T. Duncanson, jr.; R. Leggate, J. Stewart, C. Standford, A. Clegg and T. Jachlin.

Carl Hoernig, aged 55 years, died this morning at St. Joseph's hospital. The deceased was born in Bavaria, Germany, and coming to Victoria a few years ago, was employed as a baker at Clay's confectionery store. He is survived by one brother in Kansas City. The funeral announcement wil be made later.

AMBASSADOR AND RECIPROCITY.

(Special to the Times.)

London, Feb. 27.—In the House of Commons to-day J. F. Remnant, member for Holborn division of Finsbury, asked what assistance could be given by Rt. Hon. Jas. Bryce, British ambassador, to the Canadian commissioners during the reciprocity negotiations at Washington. Mackinnon Wood, replying on behalf of the ministry, said the matter originated purely with Canada, although it was of course within the range of the ambassador's duties to give such assistance as the negotiators requested.

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LORDS WILL NOT PASS VETO BILL

AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN'S STATEMENT IN COMMONS

Declares Laborites Are the Only Advocates of Single Chamber

(Times Leased Wire.)

London, Feb. 27.—Austen Chamberlain to-day served virtual notice upon the House of Commons that the Lords will reject the Liberals' veto bill. He said that if the bill is the government's last word in the struggle it will not be passed. Chamberlain said the Laborites were the only advocates of a single chamber and that the Nationalists were indifferent.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 27.—In the House of Commons this afternoon, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said Canada had no suggestion to lay before the Imperial conference this year.

HANGMAN DEAD.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 27.—Radcliffe, for over twenty years Canada's official executioner, died at his home yesterday. His right name was Rattley. He boasted that he had hanged 450 people in his time.

MEN OF HARLECH.

Cymrodian Society Will Celebrate St David's Day With Banquet.

On Wednesday evening of this week, St. David's Day, the third annual banquet of the Cymrodian Society will be held in the Broad street hall. Dr. O. M. Jones will preside over the function, at which it is hoped that all Welsh patriots will be present. Tickets can be obtained from members of the executive, at the Hub Cigar Store and at A Petch's. The following excellent programme has been arranged:

Welsh hymn—Aberystwith...Dr. Parry
Toast—The King ... Chairman
Song ... F. E. Petch
Toast—Our Patron Saint..Mrs. Jenkins
Harp—Selections ... Miss Bebbington
Toast—Our Society ... A. Petch
Responded to by ... Dr. Forrest Leeder
Male quartette ... Welsh Glee Singers
Song ... Miss Thomas
Toast—The Land We Live In ... J. G. Morris
Responded to by ... S. Court
Recitation ... Miss Lawson
Song ... W. T. Williams
Toast—The Press ... F. J. M. Owen
Song ... Mrs. McLaren
Violin solo—I Strong Violin..Mr. Jaskill
Song ... Edmund Petch
Song ... D. Hughes
Male quartette ... Welsh Glee Singers.
Hen Wlad fy n-hadav.
"God Save the King."

THE HOUSE OF DAVID.

Itinerant Missionaries of the Faith Visit Victoria.

Henry and Thomas, both Shriners of the Israelite House of David, which has its temporal headquarters at Benton Harbor, Michigan, U. S. A., are at present in Victoria on a missionary expedition. Knowing the uses of advertisement Henry called at the Times office this morning and made his presence known. He bears with him the certificate of his office, a card bearing his name and a badge in conspicuous colors. He and his companion are touring the continent of America on wheels with a view to assembling the elect into the great flock. He expects to remain in the Queen City for a week, after which he will recross to the mainland and missionize other more needy districts.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Bapty arrived on yesterday's boat from Vancouver.

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Mrs. A. E. McLean, 603 Trutch street, will receive Wednesday, March 1.

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Mrs. Charles L. Betterton, 1117 McClure street, will receive to-morrow afternoon, and hereafter on the last Tuesday of the month.

BORN.

TODD—On Monday morning, Feb. 27, at 807 Linden avenue, to the wife of A. E. Todd, a son.

DIED

MOSS—On Sunday, the 26th inst., William Moss, of 1145 Yates street, a native of England, aged 85.

The funeral will take place from the above residence on Wednesday, March 1, at 2.15, and from St. Barnabas' church at 3 p. m.

FLETT—At the family residence, 350 Simcoe street, James Bay, John Stanley, son of Mr. James Flett, aged 22 years, and a native of Somenos District, B.C.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 2.30 from the residence as above, where services will be conducted.

Interment will take place in Ross Bay cemetery.

Friends please accept this intimation.

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TWO GOOD CARPENTERS wanted. Apply J. Parker, contractor, 71 Moss street. Phone 1864. ml

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OLD HATS—Bring them to Victoria Hat Works to make like new. Note new address, 844 View. Phone 2167.

WANTED—To purchase, an old safe. Stadthagen, Indian trader, 79 Johnson street. 127

WANTED—To rent, 9 roomed unfurnished house, close in. Box 765, Times. ml

WANTED—To purchase, some diamond rings for spot cash. Stadthagen, Indian trader, 79 Johnson st. 127

DOUBLE CORNER, on Cowan avenue and Mitchell street, 131 ft. x 120, for $1,650, easy terms. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson street. ml

BEAUTIFUL 6 roomed bungalow, well finished, with all modern conveniences, for $4,200, or with 2 lots $5,000; in Victoria West, close to car line. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson street. ml

BURNSIDE ROAD—Corner, 50x135, will double in value when the car line is constructed; price $850, terms over 2 years. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce Ave. Office open this evening. 127

MAY STREET—60x135, close to Cook, cheap, $1,250. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce Ave. Office open this evening. 127

OAK BAY—Two lots, 50x120 each, lane at side and rear, $700 each. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce Ave. Office open this evening. 127

CHEAP—Two lots, just off Oak Bay Ave., 50x132 each; price $450 each, easy terms. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce Ave. Office open this evening. 127

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BEECHWOOD ROAD, Hollywood Park, 50x125,—price $650,—good terms. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce Ave. Office open this evening. 127

COOK STREET—Corner, on top of hill, 60x120, on present car line, cornering business property, price $2,100. Marriott & Fellows, 619 Trounce Ave. Office open this evening. 127

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ESQUIMALT—5 room cottage, large lot, block from car, a bargain. A. M. Jones, 1208 Government (upstairs). 127

GLADSTONE AVE.—Good lot for $850, easy terms. A. M. Jones, 1208 Government (upstairs). 127

RUDLIN STREET—2 story, 6 room cottage, pantry, bath, etc., large lot, beautiful soil, chicken house, street improved, near Central school and car, $2,500; cash $600, balance $25 per month; present occupant will rent for 6 months at $22 per month. Warwick, 1216 Broad street. ml

TWO FINE, LEVEL LOTS, 60x140, no rock, with fine oak trees, one block from Oak Bay avenue, in city limits; a bargain at $750 each, on very easy terms. Owner, Room 421, Pemberton Block. ml

SAANICH MUNICIPALITY POUND SALE—I will sell by public auction on Monday next, March 6, at 12 o'clock noon, at Blanchard avenue, one sorrel horse, with white star on forehead, if not redeemed before: H. Little, pound keeper. ml

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SUB-DIVISION LOTS—Fort street car line, high, dry, grassy lots, about 40 left, $600 and up; $60 cash, balance small quarterly payments. Dunford & Sons, 233 Pemberton Block. ml

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SIXTH STREET, RICHMOND ESTATE—Lot 55x168, high, dry and level, no rock, 7 minutes' walk from Willows car terminus, 2 roomed shack 12x14, drawing $48 per year; price $700; $200 cash, balance $10 per month at 7 per cent. This is too cheap to last long. Moore & Johnston, 632 Yates street. 127

RUDLIN STREET, off Pandora avenue, 6 roomed house, 2 stories, everything modern, on lot 50x115; present tenant would take lease of 6 months at $22 per month. It will pay you to investigate this buy. Price $2,500; $500 cash, balance $25 per month at 7 per cent. Moore & Johnston, 632 Yates street. 127

ESQUIMALT—Two lots in block B, sub. 28, 29 and 30, at $600 each. By Stinson, Fairfield Office. 127

WARNING to property owners on Pandora street. A fellow is going around with a petition for you to sign against cutting through Pandora street to Fort street. Just listen! The price of continuing Pandora street into Fort street will amount to about $1 per month to each property holder, and just remember should the scheme to let Pandora street into Fort street go through it means to every property holder on Pandora street an increase of 50 per cent. on your property in value at once, so be sure and don't sign that petition, which is got up by some property holders on Fort street who know quite well that should the extension go through, and you do not sign the petition, that Pandora street naturally will take much travel away from Fort street, so be sure and do not sign that petition. Stadthagen, owner of Pandora street property. 127

A SNAP—On Oak Bay car line, a corner lot, 122x360, with ten roomed house, $3,500, easy terms. P. O. Box 429, city. ml

LATE, LATE—The belated Public Schools Report has at last been presented to the Legislature. J. N. Muir. 127

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HILLSIDE AVE. AND PRIOR ST.—7 roomed house, in splendid condition, on lot 67x153, tile drained and cultivated, 4 bedrooms, parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, etc., 5 chicken houses, barn, woodshed, etc., price $3,200; $1,200 cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months at 7 per cent. This is a splendid buy. Moore & Johnston, 632 Yates street. 127

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FORTIFICATION OF PANAMA CANAL

President Taft's Proposal is Approved by House of Representatives

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—After nearly five hours of debate the House shortly before 10 o'clock Saturday night voted overwhelmingly in favor of fortifying the Panama canal, and appropriated $2,000,000 to begin work, the total cost of which is estimated at $12,000 000.

The action of the House practically settles the question of fortification, for the sentiment in the senate is said to be more than 20 to 1 in favor of protecting the isthmian waterway.

The real test came on an amendment proposed by Representative Tawney, chairman of the committee on appropriations. The amendment provided that no part of the moneys set aside for fortifications should be used until the president had attempted to negotiate treaties with all the leading maritime nations guaranteeing the neutrality and international protection of the canal.

Representative Shirley of Kentucky, attacked this amendment, and warned members that it had been introduced for the sole purpose of defeating the appropriations.

The Tawney amendment then was voted down by 130 to 63. A motion by Kiefer of Ohio, to strike out all provisions for the fortification of the canal was lost by a vote of 135 to 51.

The real interest in the debate seemed to centre in the Tawney amendment and the speeches made for and against it by Mr. Tawney and Mr. Shirley. Mr. Tawney, a stalwart Republican, looked to the Democratic side for sympathy and applause and received both. Mr. Shirley, one of the Democratic leaders of the House, was accorded an ovation by the Republican members. When it came to voting, the Republicans generally supported the fortification of the canal and the Democrats opposed it. The defection of about twenty Republicans from the general policy of fortifications was offset by a similar defection on the part of the Democrat side in favor of fortification.

The fortification of the canal was provided for in the sundry civil bill, but was considered in the House practically as a separate measure and after all the other features of the sundry civil bill had been disposed of. Representative Walter I. Smith of Iowa, led off the debate in favor of fortification and was followed by Representative Kiefer, who led the forces opposed to the provision. No less than twenty members spoke from five to twenty minutes.

Mr. Smith was generally regarded as representing the administration in the fight for fortification. He cited the various treaties on the subject of a canal.

"I am here to insist that we have the right to fortify the canal," he said, "that it is more than a right; that in fact, we have contracted to preserve its neutrality and to protect it against blockade. This makes it the solemn duty of this people to fortify the entrance to the canal as securely as any of the ports of the country."

When Mr. Kiefer had concluded his speech against fortification, he made a point of order against the appropriation for fortification, declaring it was not justified by existing law.

Representative Mann of Illinois, was in the chair and overruled the point. Mr. Mann said that as far as treaty obligations were concerned, the United States clearly had the right to police and protect the canal in any way it saw fit. Several Demorats who spoke and voted against fortification said they were in favor of fortifying the canal after it was completed, but they did not think that the work had progressed far enough to do so at this time.

Representative Smith explained that if the fortifications were not begun and carried on while the present construction force was on the isthmus the work would cost several millions more.

Mr. Tawney in opposing fortification said if such a proposition had arisen at the time the Panama canal was first contemplated, its construction would never have been authorized. He insisted that fortification ultimately would cost not less than $60,000,000. He declared that the interest on the $375,000,000 of construction bonds on the $60,000,000 for fortification, together with the annual cost of $7,000,000 for maintenance and operation of the canal, and $10,000,000 for the pay of troops and upkeep of fortification would bring the annual total expenditures on the canal up to $30,000,000. The estimated revenue he said, is only $4,000,000 a year, leaving the net cost to the United States of $26,000,000 a year. After the Tawney amendment and the Kiefer motion to strike out had been defeated, another motion was made to recommit the bill with instructions to the committee to omit the fortification of the canal. On aye and nay vote this motion was defeated 123 to 81.

Six thousand American troops will man the fortifications to guard the Panama canal from foreign invasion, if the plans now being perfected by the war department are adopted. These troops will be four regiments of infantry, one squadron of cavalry, three batteries of field artillery, and twelve companies of coast artillery. A permanent garrison will be established at Culebra, the highest point on the route of the canal. From this point, facilities will be perfected for the rapid transportation of troops by rail to any other point which may be threatened by an enemy. The coast artillery garrison will be at Miraflores. The distribution of the troops in this manner is calculated to be the best method to prevent a sudden dash by a landing party of an enemy's fleet, having as its object, the restruction of the great locks of the canal.

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ARRESTS ON LINER.

New York, Feb. 27.—Federal officers boarded the Greek trans-Atlantic liner Athanian Saturday and arrested twenty-nine members of the crew charged with conspiracy to violate the United States immigration laws. Those arrested include every one in authority, from captain down, as well as the resident agent of the company here.

The steamer belongs to the Hellenic-Trans-Atlantic Steamship Company. The government charges that the company has been smuggling in aliens for more than a year, some of them disguised as members of the crew, others hidden about the ship.

Nikolas A. Gaianos, the agent, was released under $20,000 bonds, and his confidential secretary in $15,000 bonds.

In all the government required $125,000 bail. Judge Chatfield, before whom the indictments were read, set trial for March 1.

LOST IN WOODS.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 27.—After ten days in the woods near Kent, without food or shelter, Ben Woallin, of Sumner, was rescued by a rancher's dog and is slowly recovering from the terrible experience in a local hospital. He was lost in the woods February 14 and wandered about without food or sleep until yesterday afternoon. Woallin was well supplied with money.

WILL BE BROUGHT BACK.

Man Accused of Killing Sweetheart Arrested After World-Wide Hunt.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 27.—After a world-wide hunt which has been under way since 1891, Burdette Wolf, who shot and instantly killed his sweetheart, Bertha Norton, has been located in Calcutta, India, and will be brought back to Portland for trial for murder, according to District Attorney Cameron.

Wolf was a law student in Portland and was prominent socially. He shot the girl because her parents had influenced her to reject him, it is said.

Wolf sailed for South America within four hours on a vessel owned by a relative. He was traced to Australia, Hongkong, Japan and finally to India.

RAILWAY BUILDING.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 27.—R. M. Calkins, general traffic manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound Railway, offered the sole note of optimism that was heard in Seattle in discussion of the rate decision. "It spells conservatism," he said, "but I hope it will not be so far-reaching as to make for reduction of crews in the operating and other departments.

"Our line to Everett will be completed and our new passenger train service from Chicago to the Coast will be inaugurated on May 28, as previously announced; but I fear the borrowing of large sums of money for legitimate extensions and improvements by railroads of the country will cease with this decision, at least for a time."

BALLOONISTS IN SNOWSTORM.

Forced to Descend After Travelling About Eight Hundred Miles.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 27.—The balloon, Miss Sofia, which left San Antonio, Texas, at 6.47 o'clock Friday evening, landed on a farm near Gower, Mo., this county, Saturday evening.

The balloon was in charge of J. E. Assman and J. M. O'Reilly, St. Louis aeronauts, and they were tossed about in a severe snowstorm for ten hours before landing. They travelled eight hundred miles. They were attempting to lift the Lahm cup for long distance flights.

Though several times Friday the balloon attained an altitude of 16,000 feet, the aeronauts suffered but little from the cold. When they ran into the storm they were forced to throw off ballast, and they worked in the snow in their shirtsleeves, tossing the sandbags overboard. In the blinding storm they could not tell in what direction they were going, and for a time they thought they were over Oklahoma. They fancied also that they might be sailing back towards Texas.

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Arrangements for the insertion of new advertisements must be made before 10 a. m. day of publication. Classified advertisements before 2 p. m.

The above rules are made for the benefit of readers of the Times, who insist upon the paper being delivered as early in the evening as possible.

FIGHT FOR FAIR PLAY.

The reciprocity issue has brought a sword into the political life of Canada. This observation does not apply to British Columbia, however. Opinion appears to be practically unanimous in this part of the country that greater prosperity than the province has ever known will follow ratification of the agreement. There is but one newspaper in this section of the Dominion that has fallen into spasms of ultra-loyalty on the subject and gives utterance to daily wails of woe for the fate of the Empire should reciprocity be adopted by Parliament and Congress. But of course, as every one knows, the News-Advertiser of to-day is not the News-Advertiser of old—that is, not in an editorial sense.

In the East, however, flags are waving and swords flashing in bewildering fashion. The fight is joined in earnest, and it looks precisely like the fuss Tories usually make just previous to a general election. Needless to say, the opposition is with "the interests" to a man, and the men fall into line in the sacred name of patriotism. The farming interests or the interests of the ordinary consumer have not said much, but when these classes do say anything there is weight behind what they say. For example, read the following letter written by a "hired man" (the fact that the man hired may not be horny-handed does not detract from the value of his arguments) to the Toronto Star:

Since writing you last, the boss has been reading about the millionaire pork packers being down to Ottawa to get Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Fielding to back down on reciprocity. "Well, now, what do you think of that" the boss says to me. "Those fellows have made millions out of us farmers already under the high tariff, and dang them, they are not satisfied until they make millions more," the boss says. I wonder how long their loyalty would last under King George if they could buy hogs for a dollar a hundred less from a Yankee farmer than a Canadian? I just guess not more than a minute. You would think to read what those fellows are trying to make Laurier believe, that if reciprocity carries that the Grits will be swamped in the next election. Don't you ever think that for a minute. I was sitting loafing in one of our stores in Orono the other night, and I heard two farmers, who are red-hot Tories, say that if Laurier wanted their votes all he had to do was just mention it, and, Mr. Editor, the woods are full of farmers who just feel that way down here. The boss says high tariff and National Policy has made millionaires out of manufacturers in this country, and you are putting pictures of them in Toronto papers every week. But you have never had a picture of a millionaire farmer yet, nor ever will as long as them fellows name the price the farmer has to sell at, and also name the price he has to pay for what he buys. These fellows have had high tariff and National Policy for over thirty years. Turn about is fair play. Give us farmers a show for thirty years and see if we don't all of us have chauffeurs and automobiles, same as they have.

Orono, Feb. 14, 1911.

LAND SWINDLERS.

The folly of the British Columbia government is being proclaimed throughout the English-speaking world. When the Times arraigns the system which allows of speculation in government lands some people say that it is done only for political purposes. No one can, however, accuse the World's Work, published in London, England, of having any political predilections in this province. That progressive journal sent a man through Canada to write of conditions exactly as he found them. For several months past the articles have been running. They have advertised the country both in picture and in letterpress as few other journals could have done, but on reaching the districts comprising New British Columbia, the valleys of the Nechaco, the Bulkeley and the surrounding country, the representative of the British periodical found a condition of affairs which brought forth some strong condemnatory language, just as strong, if not stronger, than anything we have said. Let us quote a few sentences to give the people here an idea of how the Bowser-McBride policy appeals to the outsider:

"The land-grabbers who, seizing the situation, have skimmed the cream of the country, have not spent a penny on development work, but have thrown it into the market or are holding against still higher rises in value, have accomplished a highly remunerative investment. It must be confessed, however, that these speculators are holding up the development of the country — the genuine settler cannot get in, as he cannot afford to pay the prohibitive prices demanded. In this way the province is being denied the very raw material and backbone it so greatly desires."

Then again, "It must be pointed out that many of these grabbers are unprincipled men of straw, and have not even yet paid for the land they claim to hold. They know the ins and outs of the provincial government land laws, and know where, not only a carriage and pair, but a Mauretania can be driven through them."

And yet again, "In some places in the Nechaco valley the speculators refuse to consider anything below $50 per acre, and the land is not worth half the amount. It is not as if the speculator carried out any improvements. He does nothing beyond staking his claim, and then returning to Vancouver to await the coming of the gullible.

"It is not even surveyed. Any disputes in this direction which may ultimately crop up the luckless purchaser is left to fight out. In Vancouver there is a hotbed of these land swindlers, for they are nothing else, and Canadian land should not be bought on mere advertisements from that quarter."

Here is an independent investigator going through the country and writing of things as he finds them. His testimony agrees exactly with what we have ourselves found. Yet in face of this, and in spite of it, the Bowser-McBrideites stand up before parliament and on the public platform and defend a policy which will eventually involve the province, we will not say in ruin—for the wickedest desperadoes could hardly do that—but in such difficulties as will be felt for generations to some and for which the people of the next generation will curse Bowser and McBride and all their works.

Dr. Cook, the explorer, has tried his hand at vaudeville, but found the audiences colder than he describes the north polar regions. Apparently the public did not believe the doctor and did not want to hear him.

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The spring rush to Canada from the Old Country has already begun. This promises to be a record year in the filling up of the vacant lands of our country. It is a great pity there were not vacant lands available for the preemptor in this province.

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It is difficult for us to understand the political situation in France. Premier Briand took office as an opponent of the Catholic societies and because he has not completely wiped them out of existence he is losing the support of the Socialists and Radicals. The repressive measures he was forced to take to end the revolutionary railway strike also helped to make Briand unpopular.

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An old Oxford Rugby player says the failure of the French team when playing against the Englishmen at Twickenham recently was due to their reluctance to drop on the ball in front of an enemy's feet and thus save for their side at the risk of having heads broken or limbs fractured. The Frenchmen lacked the dare-devil fearlessness which in time of stress pulls the Anglo-Saxon out of a difficult situation.

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Sir William Mackenzie does not think the fruit growers will be injured by the reciprocity agreement if it becomes law. Apparently he is beginning to appreciate the wisdom of the Dominion government in arranging the pact.

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It is practically decided that the United States will fortify the Panama Canal. The safety of the canal is of more interest to Great Britain than to any other country, because the bulk of the carrying trade of the world is in British hands.

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Opponents of reciprocity are still trying their best to keep up a show of opposition to the measure. Some Tory newspapers are still using their blackest type to try to influence their readers against it. The shrieking is not affecting the people, who smile at such childishness.

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The arrival of three new whalers on Saturday last, to be operated by the local company, is another step in the development of local industries. The number of whales which visit this coast during the summer season is said to be legion, all that is needed being steamers and men to hunt them.

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George Bernard Shaw says that liberty is responsibility, and that is the reason so many people dread it. Most Socialists seem to think liberty is irresponsibility, or, in other words, anarchy. That is why they cleave to it. They have a vague idea that they will change places with the millionaire who rides in his carriage. Some soap-box orators have persuaded them that under Socialism everyone will have a carriage to drive or an auto horn to toot.

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The Canadian girl who has made a world-wide name for herself as a violinist is here to-day. Doubtless Victorians will let Miss Kathleen Parlow feel that her great art is appreciated here as well as in other parts of Canada. Her violin is said to produce music such as is seldom heard, and yet she is only nineteen years of age. If we are proud to know her as a Canadian now, what will be our pride a few years hence when she takes her place as the world's greatest violinist? We shall then look back with pleasure to the time when we heard Miss Parlow first in Victoria.

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LIBERALS OF WARD FIVE TO ORGANIZE

Will Meet To-morrow Night in the Foresters Hall—Good Speakers Will Be Heard

Following the lead of the other wards in the city, Ward Five Liberals will organize and with that object in view there will be a meeting to-morrow evening in the Foresters' hall, Broad street. Ward Five is the last of the wards to be organized in the Liberal interest, and its falling in line therefore is of some significance, as it means that every ward in the municipality will have a Liberal organization to spread the cause and develop interest in the work.

The importance of the occasion has been fully recognized by the promoters of the meeting and they have arranged to have several excellent speakers on the platform to introduce the objects of organization. A large attendance of Liberals is expected to give the incipient organization a proper footing and a hearty send-off upon its career.

HOFMANN RECITAL.

Programme to be Rendered by Great Pianist.

An exceptionally interesting programme has been arranged for the recital at the Victoria theatre on Thursday evening next by Josef Hofmann, regarded as the only logical and legitimate successor of Rubenstein in the world of the virtuoso. Mr. Hofmann's engagement locally has been brought about through the enterprise of the Victoria Misical Society, and the sincere desire of this organization to foster in every way possible the study as well as the love of the best in musical literature is significantly emphasized in a special concession announced for the benefit of local students of the piano, who will be enabled to secure seats in balcony or gallery at half the standard charges of admission upon application therefore to the society through their respective teachers.

Mr. Hofmann's programme for this city has been very carefully selected from the works of Beethoven Chopin, Scriabina, Rachmaninoff, Liadow, and Tschaikowsky-Pabst, and includes very distinctly contrasting examples of the classic works of these masters, as follows:

(a) Rondo a Capriccio, op. 129; (g) Sonata, A flat major, op. 26; (e) March (from Ruines d'Athens Transcription Rubenstein—Beethoven.

(a) Scherzo, B flat minor; (b) Nocturne, E flat major; (c) Valse, A flat major; (d) Andante Spianato et Grande Polonaise—Chopin.

(a) Poeme—Schriabine; (b) Prelude, G minor—Rachmaninoff; (c) "Music Box"—Liadow; (d) Paraphrase from Tschaikowsky's opera "Eugene Onegin"—Tschaikowsky-Pabst.

BOWSER DEFENDS COMPANY ACT

CONTENDS THAT IT IS A PROTECTIVE MEASURE

Falls Foul of Vancouver World Over Great Northern Terminals—Morning Sitting

Legislative Press Gallery, Feb. 27.

The attorney-general was again on the defensive this morning, first on his Companies act of last session, and then on the Vancouver bill over which he showed some warmth on Friday evening. He defended his act compelling the registration and licencing of companies from outside the province as one in line with the Conservative policy of protection. Editorial and news comment in the Vancouver World on the government's agreement with the Great Northern Railway for terminal facilities at False creek were the subject of caustic remarks by Mr. Bowser on the second reading of that bill.

The House made good progress with legislation at its first morning sitting.

The attorney-general, speaking on the second reading of a bill to amend the Companies act, said he had been the subject of considerable criticism regarding this measure. Since the act was put in force last July there had been much criticism aroused throughout certain portions of Canada, particularly by those who wanted to do business in British Columbia and were forced to become licenced here. He could not help thinking there were some political considerations involved, as the Toronto Globe seemed to take much interest in B. C. legislation, the first occasion he had known that great paper to sit in appeal on the work of that body in dealing with what was purely a local matter. It could be understood that Ontario would object, as people who had got charters of incorporation there giving them power to do business elsewhere and who found, notwithstanding that, they had to take out a licence in British Columbia would refuse to take out charters there and so Ontario would lose considerable revenue.

There was a great deal of misunderstanding regarding the act and a want of intelligence shown, because people could not distinguish the difference between a company and an ordinary partnership. The government had protection of local industry in view in passing the bill, as well as dropping into line with other parts of the empire in uniformity of company legislation. Without this the merchants and manufacturers of Ontario and the east could come in and do business without contributing one dollar for the advantages of good government it enjoyed. Why should we allow the manufacturers of Ontario and the east to come in here and under-cut our manufacturers, all in the interests of Ontario stockholders. Take boots, for instance. A British Columbia manufacturer would have to pay for a site and a building, pay for his raw materials and their carriage here, pay his labor at coast prices, pay his local and provincial taxes, giving employment to people who spent their money here. This man was entitled to protection from the boot-maker of the east, who made boots cheaper, came to B. C. and got all the advantages of civilization and good government, of settlement and population, competed with our local people, and then asked the government not even to licence him while he sent the money he made here to Berlin or somewhere else in the east, to the detriment of the people of British Columbia and to the detriment of the treasury.

There had been a great deal said about fees. The government did not charge more than was charged a local company for incorporation—for a small company with a capitalization of $10,000, $25; up to $25,000, $35; up to $50,000, $52.50; up to $100,000, $72.50. The amending bill, which made many minor amendments, made it plain that the fees were to be the same as for incorporating a new company. In the case of extra-provincial companies, capitalized for $450,000 or more, and satisfying the registrar of joint stock companies that it was actually carrying on an established business beyond the province in which at least fifty per cent. of its subscribed capital was invested, the fee was commuted to $250.

Mr. Bowser challenged anyone to give him the name of one firm that had withdrawn from or refused to do business here on account of his bill. Since the act went into force there had been registered or licenced 443 extra-provincial companies, and the fees amounted to $129,682.85. This, he contended, was not an exorbitant amount to ask these companies for the advantage of doing business in British Columbia.

H. C. Brewster moved the adjournment of the debate.

The premier introduced a small bill, the attorney-general two bills, the minister of agriculture two bills, and the minister of public works one, so that the chances of prorogation on Wednesday are dimmer than ever. Third readings were given to the Fire Insurance, University Site, Water Act amendment, Kamloops Park and Bulkley Valley Official Map bills. Some other measures were advanced a stage.

Mr. Brewster has given notice of a motion for orders-in-council and all correspondence with the mayor or any alderman relating to the apportionment, division or settlement of the Songhees reserve.

Mr. Brewster has a question to ask the premier, as follows:

"1. Has any guarantee been given to the Canadian Northern Railway Co., or to Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, or either of them, in any way, relating to railway construction in this province? 2. If yes, what is the nature thereof, to what amount, and to what purpose?"

He will also ask the minister of public works the following question:—"1. Did the municipality of North Cowichan ask the government to define the Victoria-Nanaimo trunk road, running through the municipality after the government had thrown the road upon the municipality? 2. If yes, did the government appoint a surveyor to define the road, and what instructions were given the surveyors in regard to width and location of said road? 3. Who were employed on the survey; the name of surveyor and men so employed? 4. The amount paid to each employed upon survey? 5. The total cost of the survey to government? 6. The number of miles of road in municipality, and cost per mile to survey?"

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Master of Meteor Held Responsible For Collision With Kingfisher.

Holding the American steamship Meteor responsible for the collision with the fishing vessel Kingfisher, which occurred in Grenville channel in the early morning of January 28, United States Marine Inspectors B. B. Whitney and R. A. Turner, who have been investigating the accident, Saturday suspended the license of Capt. Karl J. Koivula, of the Meteor, for a period of 60 days from February 23. The decision of the inspectors follows:

"After a careful consideration of the evidence produced at the trial of Karl J. Koivula, in the matter of the charge of unskillful navigation of the steamer Meteor, on January 28, 1911, when she was in collision with the steamer Kingfisher, in Granville channel, B. C., the board holds the charge to be sustained, and his license, master of vessels of 700 tons gross or less, and chief mate of steam vessels No. 2804, 2, 3, August 27, 1908, is hereby suspended, under authority conferred by section 4,450, R. S., for a period of 60 days from February 23, 1911."

The collision occurred at 4.15 in the morning. The Kingfisher, which plies out of Vancouver, and the Meteor met head-on almost in the middle of Granville channel. The Kingfisher was going north on her way to the fishing grounds and the Meteor was coming south. As the two vessels came together the Kingfisher jammed the starboard bow of the Meteor, causing damages estimated at $7,000.

SAANICH LIBERALS.

The Saanich Liberal Association will hold its annual meeting in Royal Oak hall on Wednesday evening. Officers will be elected and other business done.

—"Are Missions Which Are Not Medical Missions, Worth Supporting?" is the subject to-night at the Emmanuel Baptist Young People's Union, to be spoken to by F. Letts and Mr. Moyle. All are heartily welcomed.

—The boom in real estate has resolved J. Redding, formerly a grocer on Catherine street, to turn his attention from the provision store to the wider field offered by real estate. He has opened a commodious office next door to the store he formerly occupied, and his specialty now is real estate in Victoria West and Esquimalt.

—A dramatic entertainment will be given in aid of the W. C. T. U. mission by the Victoria West amateur dramatic society, to-morrow, Tuesday evening, at 8.15, in the St. John's church schoolroom. Mr. Turner, late of London, England; Mrs. Gregson and Miss Bromley-Jubb will assist. A large attendance is hoped for.

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Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—President Taft's approval of a secret court-martial which dishonorably dismissed Captain Guy Smith, of the Fourth Infantry, it is believed here to-day, removed all possibility of a retrial which friends of that officer have demanded.

It is reported that the wife of Lieut.-Colonel George Barnett, who demanded Smith's arrest, gave the principal testimony for the prosecution.

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—A concert under the auspices of Triumph Lodge, No. 16, I. O. G. T., will be held at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Esquimalt, on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Amongst those who have kindly consented to take part are: Rev. W. Baugh Allen, Rev. T. W. Gladstone, Mrs. J. W. Lysle, Mrs. W. K. Parstleton, the Misses Palmer, H. Merry, R. Morrison, J. G. Brown and A. E. Cave. This talent assures a programme which will well repay those who attend, and a record attendance is expected. Admission is free, and a collection will be taken to defray expenses. Dr. Lewis Hall is expected to preside.

—Fishing tackle that's fit for fishing, at Victoria Sporting Goods Store, Douglas street.

—J. O. Stinson, of the Fairfield real estate office, reports that business is good and reports the following lots sold by him during the past month: A lot on Moss street, one on Oscar street, three on McKenzie avenue, two on Howe avenue, two on Wellington avenue, four lots on Haultain street, three on Fourth street, two on King's road, two on Scott street and three on Shakespeare street. He has also had a large number of inquiries regarding investments in Victoria and conditions on Vancouver Island.

—Despite the fact that barriers and notices warn drivers of vehicles that Fort street, between Linden avenue and St. Charles street, is closed to traffic owing to the work of paving now under way, it has been found necessary to station special policemen at either end of the stretch to be improved, as drivers persist in taking advantage of the beraks in the barriers to tramway traffic, and continue to use that portion of the thoroughfare.

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—George Head, of Galiano Island, is being sought by his mother, who has enquired for her son through the police. He left the island January 1 for Victoria, and in a letter to his mother said she could expect his return February 4. As he has not returned his mother is anxious about him.

—A petition is now in circulation and is being signed by a considerable number of property owners in objection to the proposed scheme of the extension and widening of Pandora avenue from Fernwood road through to Fort street to connect with Oak Bay avenue. This will be presented to the council when next a meeting is held.

—The aid of the police has been enlisted to search for Harry Gregory, whose father resides at 341 Newfoundland street, Bristol, England. The latter has written asking the police to locate his son for him. The last heard of the son was from Ferndale, Wash., from where he is believed to have come to Victoria, or gone to Vancouver.

—"Isaiah's forecast of the dreaming rulers of Europe and their rude awakening, a contrast, with proofs by Spurgeon, Alison, Creasy and others, of our calling as Israel and preservation through the same," will be the sequel to Admiral Mahan's advice, and dealing with the other side of "our defence in times of trouble," to be dealt with by the president at the meeting of the Victoria branch of the Imperial British Israel Association, in No. 1 hall of the A. O. U. W. building to-morrow evening.

—The members of the Christ Church cathedral branch W. A. to Missions are holding their annual donation party on Shrove Tuesday, February 28, and extend a cordial invitation to all interested visitors between the hours of 3.30 and 5.30 p.m., when tea will be served by some of the members. Donations will be gratefully accepted either in money or materials for carrying on the work of the W. A., such as flannel, flannelette, etc. It is earnestly hoped there will be a large attendance at the donation party, and that visitors will bring their friends. All will be heartily welcomed.

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Headquarters, Victoria, Feb. 22, 1911.

1. Discharged—The following N. C. O. having been granted his discharge (time expired) is struck off the strength from February 22nd, No. 299 Corporal F. B. Elworthy.

2. Promotion—The officer commanding has been pleased to approve the following promotion in the band: To be acting band sergeant, No. 10 Gnr. G. Anderson.

3. Enlisted—The following man having been duly attested is taken on the strength from February 21, and is dismissed recruit drill by the adjutant: No. 18 Gnr. Charles V. Clark.

(Signed) P. T. STERN, Capt.,
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SUCCESSFUL BAND CONCERT.

Large Audience in Victoria Theatre Pays Deserved Tribute to Performers.

For those who prefer their religious observances to be interpreted by the musical muse, the Victoria theatre was last night the fitting shrine, for, through the courtesy of Lieut.-Col. Currie and the officers of the Fifth Regiment, this thespian resort was transformed for the nonce into an orchestral hall. And the intense popularity of the change was demonstrated by the generous dimensions of the audience which foregathered to regale themselves with the rendition of the excellent programme that had been drawn up. From every point of view the concert was an auspicious success. The band played up to their best standard, and the audience requited their efforts in a more substantial fashion than previous reports would seem to credit them with. In addition to conducting the band through their successive achievements, Bandmaster Rogers displayed his versatility in the solo to Laudate Pueri by Zingarelli. The opening overture was the popular William Tell, and the aerial transports of this ever delightful number suffered no deterioration at the hands of the orchestra. The orchestration pieces were tastefully interspersed with solo work, and it must be stated that in this department the concert proved itself to be most excellently equipped. The famous Tosti's "Good-bye" was sung by F. Kelinay, a tenor, whose dulcet tones and infinite clarity of expression earned him the warmest approbation of the audience. Bert Foote added to his reputation by his interpretation and rendition on the 'cello of Andante Cantabile, by Schalkousky. Further variety was lent to the performance by the appearance of several members of the St. Andrew's choir, under the leadership of Frank J. Sehl, who gave the "Grand Selection" from Verdi's Aida in a manner that left the audience agasp with delight. The band soloist was H. Searle, and Miss Cochrane performed at the piano with efficiency and grace.

—The meeting of the Metropolitan Epworth League this evening will be of great interest. Impromptu speeches will be made on the subject, "Victoria's Civic Problems." The members of the league extend a cordial invitation to visitors.

—The order of the King's Daughters in Victoria is arranging an informal reception to be held at the Alexandra club on Friday evening, March 3, when Miss Margaret Leitch, the provincial secretary of the order, will give her report of the recent memorial convention held in Ottawa, where she was the delegate from British Columbia.

—Building permits have been issued by the building inspector to J. Donegan for four dwellings to be erected on Belton and Pine streets to cost $700 each; to A. Bainco, dwelling on Ladysmith street to cost $750; to George E. Handley, dwelling on Cedar Hill road to cost $4,000; to Messrs. Newberry & Cowper, alterations to store on Yates street to cost $600.

—Owing to the fact that extensive alterations are now being made at the Driard hotel, Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co. will be unable to hold the sale of wines, liquors and cigars (as advertised) in the old bar room of the hotel, so have made arrangements with D. D. Dewar to sell the stock at his warehouse, 535 Yates street, at 2.30 to-morrow.

—In the police court this morning C. King, milk vendor, paid a $5 fine for allowing his horse to walk across a sidewalk in the James Bay district. Dinsdale & Malcolm, contractors, were fined, at a special sitting of the court, $10 for leaving building material on the sidewalk at night without the red light being attached, as required under the by-law. When the case was called there was no appearance of the defendants. The city prosecutor asked for a warrant, which was refused by the magistrate, who remanded the case case till to-morrow. A few minutes after the court adjourned the defendants appeared and a special sitting of the court was held to hear the case.

FINAL APPEAL BY REV. HERBERT BOOTH

"Almost, Thou Persuadest Me," Text of Last Mission Service—Lecture To-night

Rev. Herbert Booth, the noted evangelist, brought his mission services in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, which have been in progress since Saturday night week, to a close last night, and made a final appeal to all sinners; taking as his text, Acts xxvi, 28, and specially the words, "Almost thou persuadest me," which King Agrippa spoke to Paul, as the latter, bound and menacled, preached the gospel to him.

Mr. Booth gave a short resume of his mission here prior to commencing on his sermon. His mission, he said, had been an appeal to sinners. The appeal had been made to all who had cared to attend during the past week, and the responsibility rested now with each individual. He would, perhaps have no opportunity to again plead for sinners' repentance here, as the final closing meeting to-night would take the nature of an educational rather than a petitioning lecture. As a final incentive for the erring in God's ways, who were almost persuaded but perhaps needed still a little help to set their feet firmly on the right and Godly way, he had chosen the text "Almost thou (Paul, the ragged prisoner) persuadest me (the great and masterful king)."

St. Andrew's was thronged to the doors to hear the son of General Booth. Extra chairs were placed in every available part of the church and yet were insufficient to hold the many who desired the final opportunity of hearing the evangelist. Throughout the full service many stood downstairs and upstairs, welcoming the temporary discomfort so as to be able to hear Mr. Booth.

Dealing with his text, Mr. Booth said that the context of King Agrippa's sudden exclamation, "Almost thou persuadest me," justified him in his belief that Agrippa spoke the words for the purpose of covering up his confusion and shame in the presence of the multitude, composed of his subjects present, who heard his exclamation. He was convinced that Agrippa had a deep and hidden belief, but was somewhat ashamed to make the full acknowledgment of his sudden conversion, and therefore lost his chance of salvation by making only a partial confession.

To his audience, Mr. Booth appealed before closing his sermon, to make a full and complete confession and to embrace God in entirety. Everything went, he said, to show the greatness and the pomp of Agrippa, but despite his power as ruler, there was in Paul a greater than the king present on that occasion. Ragged, bound and a prisoner, and not drawn through the streets in a gilded chariot, and in the estimation of the citizens he was but an insignificant prisoner in the town lock-up. Yet in his words he drew from the great king, surrounded by his pomp, the exclamation "Almost thou persuadest me." Paul, said Mr. Booth, was more than a match for Agrippa that day.

"Almost thou persuadest me," said Mr. Booth. "The words come back here to-night. I want to bring Paul into this church. There are hundreds who are on the border line here to-night. Remember one step forward and these are redeemed, but one backward and they are lost. The life line was flung to Agrippa by the menacled hands of Paul, and Agrippa missed it, and a more ghastly end is not disclosed to us than the end of Agrippa.

"If there was no sin there would be no gospel. God's gospel is God's answer to sin. I am not talking folly. I know there is a great deal of pleasure in sin. It is exceedingly nice in form, for the devil is a past-master in offering sin disguised. There is a great fascination in lying, and I doubt not but there are some very successful liars in Victoria to-night, some who have made good in this world's things. But how have they done it? Have they lied, and cheated? Under the lustre and the beautiful cloak of sin is the bite and sting. The best thing about disease is the pain caused by it. If there were no pain people would die before they were aware they were ill. Pain is the merciful gift of the Creator to preserve His people. It is the fire bell of warning, and the smart and bite of sin is the best thing about sin."

With a final appeal to all living in sinful ways to free themselves from the ways of the devil and live in Christ, Mr. Booth concluded his mission services here.

To-night he will close the entire series with his famous lecture on "The Early Christians," which has already been announced. The lecture will take place at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church and, with the exception of twelve views shown, all are unique and original. They were gathered by him in Australia, where he organized a corps of 600 people to pose for the pictures that make his bioscope display. The story will be told by aid of the slides first and then repeated in moving picture form, while sacred songs are sung. Tickets were on sale last week, and a large number have been sold, so Mr. Booth anticipates a large audience. Tickets can be purchased at Campbell's drug store, and at the piano store of the Hicks & Lovick Co., Ltd. Tickets admit holders to first choice of seats. Those without them will be compelled to wait till 7.40 before being able to secure admission.

THE DIOCESAN GAZETTE.

Monthly Volume on Church Work is Perfect Compendium of News and Events.

A publication that should find a ready welcome to the hearths of many homes is the Diocesan Gazette, the monthly magazine devoted to the Diocese of Columbia. The magazine is a brilliant little compendium of all the news and events relating to the diocese, and should prove of inestimable value to those who would take an intelligent and comprehensive interest in the affairs of the church. The February number is full of good things, not only in the way of announcements and reports, but in the field of reminiscence, social notes and parochial developments, that are always so readable and attractive. Of special interest in the current number is an article entitled "Notes From the Bishop," in which one seems to get into immediate touch with the character of his reverence. Other items of importance are the articles devoted to the church news of England and America, indicating the condition and development prevailing in these countries. Altogether the little volume is an invaluable handbook of church work and as such should develop a wide circulation.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary Society, P. R. J. hospital, will take place to-morrow at the board of trade rooms, Bastion square, at 3.30 p.m.

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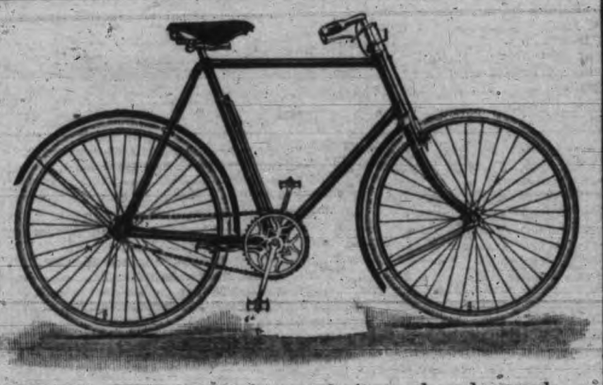

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NEWS OF SPORT

CLUBS STRUGGLE FOR ENTRY INTO LEAGUE

Old and New Maple Leafs Both Want to Represent Vancouver

Vancouver will very probably have three professional lacrosse teams this year. The Maple Leafs, Limited, have decided to apply for entry into the B. C. Lacrosse League, at the meeting of the association to be held to-morrow evening.

The Maple Leafs, not limited, also claim they will enter, and as a second professional team in Vancouver is about all the game will stand, one of them is likely to have their application turned down. It is generally admitted that there are not enough players in Vancouver to form two strong teams capable of coping with the Westminster team, and with the imports of Con. Jones.

However, the Maple Leaf Lacrosse Club, Limited, say that whether their application is accepted or refused they will enter the league just the same. If the Maple Leafs get in as the second Vancouver team they will put themselves up as representatives of North Vancouver, and thus secure entery.

SCOTTISH FOOTBALL RESULTS.

Glasgow, Feb. 27.—Scottish football games played on Saturday resulted as follows:

Falkirk 4, Third Lanark 0; Morton 3, Hearts 2; Queen's Park 1, Kilmarnock 1; St. Mirren 2, Partick 1; Raith Rovers 1, Airdrieonians 1; Hibernians 2, Motherwell 1.

Scottish cup, replayed, Johnston 1, Hamilton 4. Third round, Dundee 2, Glasgow 1; Celtic 1, Clyde 0; Aberdeen 6, Forfarshire 0.

RUGBY IN ENGLAND.

London, Feb. 27.—Rugby games played on Saturday resulted as follows:

Harlequins, 1; United Services, 11.
London Scottish, 8; London Irish, 3.
Cardiff, 8; London Welsn, 4.
Army, 16; Cambridge University, 3.
Devonport, 31; Exeter, 4.
Leicester, 33; Richmond, 0.
Oxford University, 11; Blackheath, 12.
Rosiyn Park, 23; Omtaylors, 10.

NANAIMO FIFTEEN ARE SNOWED UNDER

Terminal City Rugbyists Defeat the Hornets in Very One-Sided Game

Vancouver, Feb. 27.—In the McKechnie cup game decided at Brockton Point Saturday, when the Vancouver Rugby team were the hosts to Nanaimo, the local aggregation won by three goals and a try to nil, representing an eighteen point victory.

The game was in nowise strenuous for at no period did Vancouver appear to be extended. The Nanaimo team was outclassed from beginning to end and a bigger score against them would have been justified. On the day's play Vancouver deserved to win by 35 points and undoubtedly would have secured this margin had there been less fumbling.

For the major part of the encounter the Vancouver representatives did all the pressing and behind the scrimmage they easily held the advantage. In the forward line, however, Nanaimo appeared to have slightly the best of the argument.

The game, while fairly open, included many amusing incidents and plainly indicated that there are one or two forwards in the homesters' ranks whose knowledge of the game should be improved before they are selected again.

THREATENS TO STOP FIGHT.

Mayor of Kansas City Declares Councilmen Curtail Meetings to Attend Contests.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 27.—"Unless the council stops its practice of adjourning before it has completed its business to hurry to prize fights, I'm going to stop the fights. I'm not opposed to the fight game, but I will not stand for it interfering with city business."

This ultimatum, delivered by Mayor Brown, was prompted by the councilmen adjourning to witness a prize fight before, according to the Mayor, they had half completed their work.

—Fishing tackle that's fit for fishing, at Victoria Sporting Goods Store, Douglas street.

VICTORIA WEST ARE BEATEN BY MINERS

City Champions Show Form but Fail to Penetrate Ladysmith's Defence

By their victory over Victoria West at the Canteen grounds on Saturday afternoon Ladysmith practically cinched the Island league championship. The coal miners won, not because of their superior speed, the Wests as a whole being by far the speedier team, but because of their consistent, heady play and great defence. The score of 2 to 0 by no means tells the tale, for, as one of the spectators was heard to remark, "With a little more weight and a little less anxiousness the lads in green and white might have won the game."

On the blow of the whistle the Wests carried the ball into the enemy's territory, and within five minutes Johnny Peden shot. If the ball had gone just six inches lower it would have been impossible for Dougan to have saved it, but as it was it struck the bar, bounded back, and Ladysmith cleared. For a few minutes the miners took the aggressive, McGuire, who without doubt was playing the best game on the field, taking the pigskin within a short distance of the Wests' goal. Prevost blocked, and with a splendid kick sent the ball into the opponents' territory once more.

The locals had a better chance to score than they had during any part of the game. The two Pedens and Sherritt shot in succession, but Dougan's arms, working like piston rods, saved every time. McGuire made another good run, which resulted in Lefevre, the Victoria West custodian, having some work to do. He performed his task nobly, and although Ladysmith was given a corner kick and the forwards tried hard to head the ball in, their efforts were in vain, and play again travelled towards the other end of the field.

The local rooters were jubilant and signified their pleasure by hoarse cries of encouragement to Muir, Youson, Johnny Peden and Sherritt, who to all appearances were outplaying two of the best backs in the province—Rogers and Hinds. Just at this time, however, an accident happened which effectually silenced their shouts and cast up a pall over all of Victoria West's supporters. The ball was kicked into the vicinity of the locals' goal, and the Ladysmith forwards, headed by Jimmy Adams, followed up with a rush. Roy White secured the leather, and had plenty of time to clear, but for some unaccountable reason missed his kick. Adams took the ball and with no one but the goal-keeper to stop him scored without any difficulty. Shortly afterwards the half ended.

At the beginning of the second half the Wests again pressed hard, and had the miners bunched in front of their goal, keeping out the hard drives sent in by Muir and Peden. Tommy Peden at this stage of the game, missed the chance of his lifetime. The goal was open and the ball rolled past him, but Tommy hesitated and the opportunity was gone. Ladysmith scored their second goal from a foul awarded them a little past centre. T. Hinds took the kick and passed McGuire, who shot for goal. Lefevre saved, but was unable to clear, and McGuire rushed the ball through.

From that on until near the end nothing of particular note happened. The Wests were obviously discouraged, and their play suffered accordingly. Within a few minutes of time they redeemed themselves by making a very spirited attack. Repeatedly they rushed, but Dougan was on his mettle, and saved time and time again. The game ended with the Wests blanked.

A noticeable feature of the match was the way in which the miners bunched when their goal was in danger, and if they could not relieve the pressure by kicking to the side lines, cornered in order to save themselves. Fully a dozen corners were given to the Wests, whereas very few were awarded their opponents.

There was not much to choose between the teams, but as was said before, the local boys lost several chances through over anxiety. The northerners were older, more experienced, and took things very coolly. Again, the former, while most of their men, and in particular Muir, Pettigrew and Prevost, played a star game, had some noticable weak spots. The latter, on the other hand, with the exception of Wilson on the right wing, were all in the best of form and played well together. H. A. Goward handled the whistle to the satisfaction of everyone. The teams were:

Ladysmith—Goal, Dougan; full backs, Rogers and Hinds; half backs, McAdam, T. Hinds and Upton; forwards, Wilson, McGuire, Adams, Brass and Sabison.

Victoria West—Goal, Lefevre; full backs, White and Prevost; half backs, Okell, Pettigrew and Thackeray; forwards, Youson, T. Peden, J. Peden, Muir and Sherritt.

HIGH SCHOOL SOCCER TEAM—JUNIOR CITY CHAMPIONS.

Top Row, right to left: R. Goodwin, R. Steele, S. Gardiner, A. Knox, R. Fort, A. G. Smith (secretary). Bottom Row: T. Heyland, C. Ames, H. Sivertz, A. Mulcahy, C. Walls, E. Drury.

FENCING

The interest in fencing is, as a rule, very keen, the interest in any particular branch of it growing as time goes on. British fencers on the whole have never been renowned for any particular efforts in the direction of more skilful play than their continental brothers, and those who use the steel are brothers in arms and constantly striving to master one another in a more or less refined manner.

Those who regard the hit as the chief factor regardless of rule or form are many, yet most foil fencers, when they overcome the tendency to use a foil like a stick or sabre, invariably endeavor to fence in excellent style. The teaching is the principle part, and by bringing the pupils' blade under control with all the delicate shades of expression the pupil's mind becomes in tune with the movement.

Women are more disciplined than men because their intention gives them an insight into the finer details and they therefore desire to get more out of it.

Man, mere mister man, invariably wants to fight so soon as he feels some sense of security in defence and some ability to hop out of the way.

In foil fencing one is taught all the movements in order that one may be on guard against them, and those who know the most, more often than not rely upon and apply the simplest movements to compass their adversary's defeat.

—Richard West.

TROOP FIVE WINS.

Boy Scouts Play Off Final For Championship.

In a fast and interesting game at the Oak Bay park on Saturday afternoon Troop 5 of the Victoria Boy Scouts defeated Troop 3 by a score of 2 to 1. This game settled the championship of the inter-troop league. The winners hail from Victoria West.

In the first half a penalty was awarded No. 3, and Selfe, taking the kick, scored. Shortly afterwards a similar award was given No. 5, but the goalkeeper successfully blocked the shot, and no score resulted. After this the game was all in favor of No. 5, and within about ten minutes of time both F. Carroll and Plumb scored, thus winning for their team the game and the championship.

For the winners Davies, Shakespeare, Plumb, Carroll and Gordon were the stars, and for the losers both the backs played splendidly, saving several times in great style. Knox was by far the best of the forwards, and it was only through hard luck that his repeated attempts at scoring was not crowned with success. The teams lined up as follows:

No. 5 Troop—Fort, Davies and Shakespeare, Wood, James and Carroll, Smith, Gordon, Plumb (captain), Carroll and Mitchell.

No. 3 Troop—Nash, Goodwin (captain) and Selfe, Bray, Brown and Hatch, Kilpatrick, Margetts, Knox, Griffiths and McBrady.

OXFORD CREW IS TRAINING HARD

Hope to Win Third Successive Victory Over the Cambridge Eight

London, Feb. 27.—Oxford is getting along finely with its crew for the annual race with Cambridge on the Thames at Putney. The men have been well schooled, and the university coaches are sanguine that they have an eight which will give the light blue plenty of concern when the old rivals meet in their great race of the year.

The Oxford men are strong and enduring and they have been taught to stroke their boat with power and speed. Oxford has won the last two races from Cambridge, and this year is anxious to triumph again, that they may hold a successive record of three defeats over their old rival. That will compensate in some measure for the three successive defeats which were administered to Oxford by Cambridge in 1906, 1907 and 1908.

The crews of England's famous universities have rowed 67 times in the past. Of this large number of races Oxford has won 36 and Cambridge 30. The race in 1877 resulted in dead heat. The majority of victories has gone to the dark blue, but the Oxonians are eager to win their third straight this season, not only to increase their general total, but, as previously stated, that they may be "revenged" a little for the more recent triple victory which Cambridge has to its credit.

ENGLISH SOCCER MATCHES.

London, Feb. 27.—Several surprises were handed out in the third round of the English cup Saturday, the most notable being the trouncing Everton received at the hands of Derby county and the defeat of Manchester United by Westham United. Following are the scores:

Bradford City, 2; Grimsby Town, 1.
Derby County, 5; Everton, 0.
Middlesborough, 0; Blackburn Rovers, 3.
Newcastle United, 3; Hull City, 1.
Burnley, 5; Coventry City, 0.
Westham United, 2; Manchester United, 1.
Wolverhampton Wanderers, 0; Chelsea, 2.
Sunderland, 3; Darlington, 0.

Following are the results of league games:

First Division.

Aston Villa, 4; Tottenham Hotspur, 0.
Woolwich Arsenal, 3; Notts Forest, 2.
Sheffield United, 1; Sheffield Wednesday, 0.
Bury, 1; Bristol City, 1.
Sunderland, 4; Manchester City, 0.
Preston North End, 1; Oldham Athletic, 1.

Second Division.

Leeds City, 3; Fulham, 1.
Barnsley, 2; Birmingham, 1.
Gainsboro Trinity, 1; Bradford, 2.
Leicester Fosse, 1; Huddersfield, 1.
Clapton Orient, 2; Blackpool, 1.

Southern Division.

Exeter City, 2; New Brompton, 2.
Brighton and Hove, 3; Millwall, 2.
Northampton, 9; Queen's Park Rangers, 0.
Bristol Rovers, 1; Southend United, 0.
Luton, 3; Norwich City, 1.
Crystal Palace, 2; Southampton, 2.
Brentford, 1; Plymouth Argyle, 2.
Leyton, 1; Watford, 0.

POKER NOT UNDER BAN.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 27.—Lovers of the great American game of poker are jubilant over Police Chief Seymour's announcement that he will not take any action against clubs which indulge in that game only.

"The courts have ruled that poker is not a tabooed gambling game," explained Seymour, "and I will not interfere. Poker has been played in San Francisco since the days of '49 and will continue to be played as long as I am chief. I will make no effort to stop it."

UMPIRES SELECTED.

President Lindsay Chooses Four Men for Northwestern.

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 27.—Yesterday President Lindsay of the Northwestern league selected four umpires for the coming season. They were Steve Kane, formerly with the National league; G. A. Loganecker, who umpired in the Western Canada circuit last season; Jack Ward, formerly a Pacific Coast player, and Shackleford.

Kane was omitted from the National league by President Lynch, and Chicago fans expressed much surprise at his act, as Kane was considered a crack umpire. Loganecker hails from Cornell. Jack Ward made his name as an outfielder in the old Pacific Coast league days. Shackleford has been employed by a telephone company and not much is known of him.

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Victorians will have a chance to see over fifty games of professional baseball in their home town this year. The local team will, of course, travel more than any of the others, but this is only natural considering that Victoria is just making her debut into the professional ranks.

Victoria will first entertain Spokane, last year's winners of the Northwestern League pennant, who will come here on May 8 and remain for six days. Portland will be the next visiting team to perform at the Royal Athletic park. They will remain for one week, commencing May 22. Three weeks after this Vancouver, followed immediately afterwards by Tacoma, and at the end of July by Seattle, will be seen at the local ball park.

With the exception of Vancouver and Seattle each team will visit Victoria twice during the season. Portland will play two games here on Victoria Day and Tacoma two on Dominion Day.

The following is a list of Victoria's dates:

April, 18 to 23 at Tacoma; 24 to 30 at Spokane; May, 1 to 7 at Seattle; 8 to 13 against Spokane at Victoria; 15 to 21 at Tacoma; 23 to 27 against Portland at Victoria; 29 to 31 at Seattle. June, 1 to 4 at Seattle; 5 to 11 at Tacoma; 12 to 13 at Vancouver; 18 to 25 against Vancouver at Victoria; 26 to 30 and July 1 against Tacoma at Victoria. July, 3 to 9 at Spokane; 10 to 16 at Seattle; 17 to 22 at Vancouver; 24 to 29 against Seattle at Victoria. August, 1 to 6 at Portland; 7 to 12 against Tacoma at Victoria; 14 to 20 at Seattle; 21 to 26 against Portland at Victoria; 28 to 31 at Spokane. September, 1 to 3 at Spokane; 4 to 10 at Portland; 11 to 17 against Spokane at Victoria; 18 to 24 at Spokane; 24 to 30 at Vancouver. May 14 against Spokane at Seattle; May 28, against Portland at Seattle; July 30, against Seattle at Seattle; July 2, against Tacoma at Tacoma; August 13, against Tacoma at Tacoma; August 27, against Vancouver at Tacoma.

LADYSMITH HUSKIES CHECKED AT LAST

Nanaimo Holds Island League Cracks Down to No Score—Vancouver Defeats Callies

The B. C. professional league game played in Ladysmith yesterday between Ladysmith and Nanaimo was one of the hardest and most fiercely contested games ever played in that town and resulted in a draw, no score being made. The play was slightly in favor of Ladysmith, but they were unfortunate in their shooting.

Shortly after the commencement of the second period of play, Brass, star inside left for the home team, in a mix-up with the Nanaimo goal-keeper, had his leg badly broken.

White, Mitchell, Murray and Shepherd were the stars for the Nanaimo team and for Ladysmith Rogers, Hines, Adams, McGuire and Dougan played stellar football.

In the league match at Recreation park, Vancouver, the Vancouver eleven defeated the Caledonians by a score of 4 to 3.

WESTS WILL NOT WITHDRAW.

Stan. Okell Denies Report That His Team Will Discontinue Island League Games.

The Victoria West soccer eleven are very much incensed over the report which has been spread about to the effect that they are going to withdraw from the Island league. Stan. Okell announces that the fact of the B. C. professional series starting on Saturday will not prevent his team from playing out every game they have yet scheduled in the Island league. He also says that he is sure the Foresters and Esquimalt will continue playing.

Next Saturday the Wests and Esquimalt will meet at the Canteen grounds.

DECISION POSTPONED.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—Although Attorney-General Wickersham and other members of the government were present expecting decisions in the tobacco trust and other important cases, the United States Supreme court rendered no decisions this afternoon.

KATHLEEN PARLOW RECITAL TO-NIGHT

Brilliant Young Canadian Violinist Will Be Heard at Victoria Theatre

Kathleen Parlow, the eminent Canadian violinist, will give a recital to-night at the Victoria theatre, being accompanied by Karel Leitner, the Bohemian pianist. The concert is the only one this prominent girl will give on the island. She is under engagement to return to Calgary at once, prior to her United States tour. Calgary is her home city and Monday night last was en fete for her. So enthused were the people over her undoubted talent that a return engagement was booked for March 1 under the supervision of Roslyn E. Hart.

Miss Parlow has made the greatest impression for years of any woman violinist in the musical world of Europe and America. Her success in Canada is phenomenal, and might have been taken as partly due to patriotism had it not been that her appearances in London, New York and Germany were equally brilliant affairs.

Miss Parlow returns to Europe as soon as her United States engagement is concluded. She is billed for a concert tour there also. For her age, nineteen years, she is the highest paid violinist now before the public. In part a criticism of her playing at Calgary is as follows:

"Undoubtedly, Miss Kathleen Parlow is among the front ranks of living violinists. Of Miss Parlow's distinction in her art there is no question. From the very first tones that she drew from her fiddle it was demonstrated that the audience was to hear no faltering and no musical lesson half learned, for Miss Parlow's determined attack, her fluent sweep of bow, and the power and accuracy of her left hand mechanism instantly revealed the virtuoso who had nothing to fear in the way of technical obstacles, and could devote herself heart and soul to the task of musical interpretation; sure that every slightest wish and intention would be carried out to the letter by the skilled arms, wrists and fingers."

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The eminent Canadian violinist, who will make her only appearance in Victoria at the Victoria Theatre to-night.

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LONDON DAILY MAIL ON RECIPROCITY

Endorses Canada's Position, and Hopes for Imperial Federation Soon

The Daily Mail, one of the most influential and most widely read of the English Conservative newspapers, admits editorially that Canada's position in regard to reciprocity is the correct one. In the same article it is stated that with the signing of the agreement Imperial preference ceases to be a factor in practical politics, but that Imperial federation is still possible and desirable. Canada has lost neither the wish nor the power to take part in a federation scheme. The article is as follows:

"When the history of the negotiations between Canada and the United States is written, it will be seen that the delegates of the Dominion had no choice but to accept the offer of trade reciprocity. For the first time the United States came to Canada as a suitor prepared to agree to any conditions. In 1866 the United States put an end to the reciprocity treaty which she had made with Canada in 1854, and Canada, with the aid of British capital, started on her career of independent development. What has happened in the interval to change the attitude of the United States toward reciprocity with her neighbor? The population of the United States has grown to nearly one hundred millions, and the limits of agricultural development under the present system have been reached. The United States has need of wheat to feed its people and of raw material to supply its factories. This is the governing factor as far as Americans are concerned.

"And over the northern border is a land of plenty. Canada has infinite resources of food and raw material. Her population is only eight millions, and she is searching the world for men and capital to develop her vast and fertile prairies and to take from her forests and mines the wealth with which nature has endowed her. Between the two countries is a boundary line pierced at every salient point by railways and waterways, and on this artificial boundary stands the only real barrier—a wall of tariffs. To breach this wall was to admit the United States to the food for which she has ever-growing need. This is why the government in Washington came to the government in Ottawa. Nothing was allowed to stand in the way of agreement. No sacrifice was too great to secure control over the wheat fields and the forests of the Dominion. What the Canadian delegates asked for—even that which they believed would be refused—was granted. The government of the United States realized that the critical hour had struck and that she must open wide the door into Canada which she had closed with a bang nearly half a century ago. To reject offers so generous and so unexpected was impossible. If they were to be rejected it must be by the Canadian parliament and not by those who were responsible for the success or failure of the negotiations.

"What the answer of the Dominion parliament will be cannot be doubted. The reciprocity agreement will be signed. And with that contract between the United States and Canada Imperial preference ceases to be a factor in practical politics. There is really only one article of commerce upon which an Imperial preference was possible. Grain is the principal export of Canada to Great Britain, and upon that commodity the Imperial preference with the Dominion must have been based. Free trade in wheat between Canada and the United States has made such a preference impracticable. How can there be Imperial preference where there is a common market in the United States and Canada? The Dominion has made a contract of limited partnership with the United States. But she is still free to enter into that greater contract of Imperial federation which will make her a partner in the British Empire. Neither the wish nor the power has departed from Canada. That is the great fact that concerns us. It is ours to use or to neglect."

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EX-POLICE CHIEF OF SEATTLE ARRESTED

C. W. Wappenstein is Charged With Accepting Bribe—Indicted by Grand Jury

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 27.—Former Chief of Police Charles W. Wappenstein was arrested at his home Saturday on a warrant charging bribery and based on an indictment returned by the graft grand jury. The indictment charges that Wappenstein received $2,500 from Gideon Tupper and Clarence Gerald, saloon-keepers and members of the so-called vice syndicate which is alleged to have enjoyed exclusive gambling, white slave and other vice privileges during the administration of Hiram C. Gill, the recently recalled mayor, and the former chief of police.

Wappenstein was taken to his attorney's office and bail of $25,000 furnished, the bond being signed by two wealthy owners of saloon and hotel property.

The indictment sets forth that: "The said Charles W. Wappenstein on the 20th day of June, 1910, being then chief of police of Seattle, did fraudulently, feloniously and corruptly receive from one Gideon Tupper and one C. J. Gerald the sum of $2,500 as a compensation and gratuity upon an agreement and understanding that his action in his official capacity should be influenced thereby in this, that he, said Wappenstein, as such officer, would not interfere with or molest in any manner whatsoever, certain gambling games then and there being conducted and carried on by said Tupper and Gerald at a place known as the Northern Club, and would not arrest said Tupper or Gerald for conducting and carrying on such games."

The grand jury, which has not yet concluded its work, is understood to have devoted all its sessions thus far to Wappenstein. The jury was called after Detective Wm. J. Burns handed over to Attorney John F. Murphy evidence which he had gathered concerning corruption in the Seattle police force. Mayor Gill had already been recalled at an election held February 7, and Wappenstein had gone out of office with Gill.

Wappenstein, who is known all over the United States as a detective, was removed from office as chief of detectives of Cincinnati after an investigation, and later was removed from office as chief of detectives of Seattle for misconduct. Last summer he was removed from the office of chief of police of Seatle by acting Mayor Wardall, reinstated by Mayor Gill and found guilty of corruption by a council committee. He was the chief issue in the recall campaign against Mayor Gill and in the primary held last Tuesday for the nomination of candidates for councilmen. In the final balloting on March 7 three candidates for council seats will be assailed as friends of Wappenstein.

Wappenstein will be arraigned either next Wednesday or next Saturday. These are the regular arraignment days.

STABBED DURING QUARREL.

Spokane, Wash., Feb. 25.—In a fight following a quarrel over locking doors to rooms in the Idaho hotel last night, Gordon Doyle of the Raymond hotel was stabbed in the back by an unknown man and now lies at the emergency hospital.

Together with Jay Lewis and Dave Sullivan, Doyle rented rooms and complained because the doors were not provided with keys or bolts. A discussion followed and resulted in a quarrel. Five men were fighting at the same time, Doyle says, and he was stabbed in the back by some man he did not see.

CHARGE OF CRUELTY.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27.—Charges of inhuman cruelty are on file here for investigation against the administration of the district work house at Occoquan, Virginia, by former guards.

"Half starved, half frozen men have been hung by their thumbs to a limb of a tree in punishment for trivial offences," according to the charges.

Describing the "starvation punishment," one of the guards in a signed statement says: "I was ordered to take a gang to the laundry. We passed a tub of bones thrown out as refuse. Each prisoner grabbed a bone like a hungry dog and sucked it. They were really starving."

—There will be a list of eighteen dances and two extras at the regular monthly dance of the Recreation club of the Victoria fire department, to be held to-morrow evening.

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CORNER STONE OF HOSPITAL LAID

HISTORIC EVENT AT COQUITLAM SATURDAY

Lieutenant-Governor Performs Ceremony—Praise for Minister and Dr. Doherty

Coquitlam, B. C. Feb. 27.—On Saturday the laying of the corner stone of the first building of the Coquitlam hospital for the insane was carried out with all the pomp and ceremony due an occasion of such importance to the public of British Columbia in the presence of many distinguished visitors, including a large number of members of the legislature. After an address by the Hon. H. E. Young, Minister of Education, His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Paterson was presented with a silver trowel, and formally declared the cornerstone "well and truly laid." In the receptacle in the stone were placed an English penny, a Canadian one-cent piece, a $10 bill, a copy of the local papers, and the signatures of the officials present.

A number of people came over from Victoria and they, with those from Vancouver and New Westminster, travelled to the site of the new hospital by special train. The grounds and the farm cottage were first inspected and after the party had explored the basement of the first building the ceremony began.

Dr. Young, in a few words, explained the idea of the asylum, and the economical manner in which it was being built. He said that it was the first step to meet the growing needs of the province. The day of the straight-jacket was past, and now it was possible to cure insanity, as it was possible to cure consumption.

About 600 acres of the farm had already been cleared, 100 acres by the patients. The work of clearing the one thousand acress will be one of the cheapest undertakings of the kind yet attempted. It cost the government but $69 per acre to clear the 500 acres by contract, while it cost the C. P. R. $200 per acre to clear Shaughnessy Heights.

When it came to the matter of maintaining the asylum a record for the Dominion was established. It cost, to feed and attend the patients, including clothing and miscellaneous expenses, only 0 1-3 cents per capita. In last year's expenses was included an item of $8,600 for milk and butter, which he hoped would be nil next year, as all supplies would be raised on the ground. They had also shipped a large quantity of cordwood, and could grow enough potatoes to supply "Bowser's jail." About $400,000 would be spent this year on the buildings and farm.

Hon. Dr. Young then presented the silver trowel to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, and the formal laying of the stone was carried out.

His Honor commended the nature of the work, and remarked on the progress which had been made. "I have seen, and I know all who saw it before it was cleared will appreciate the amount of work which has been done," he said. He expressed himself as proud of the manner in which government employees had carried on the work so economically. The site was an ideal one, and a more suitable place for a farm could not be found. There are a number of people who have to be taken care of, but it was his opinion that a greater number would be sent to their homes, cured.

Hon. Thomas Taylor, Minister of Public Works, said the hospital would stand as one of the greatest institutions of its kind on this continent and he paid a tribute to Dr. Young, who, he said, was the originator of the idea, and it was due to his labor that a start had been made toward the completion of one of the finest institutions in the world. He also gave credit to Dr. Doherty and Dr. McKay.

A luncheon followed, at which the speakers were Mr. Speaker Eberts, Hon. A. E. McPhillips, Mayor Lee, New Westminster; Reeve Mars, Coquitlam; and W. Manson, M. L. A. All gave great credit to Dr. Young for the splendid institution he has planned.

Mayor Lee said that when the site was purchased it was claimed that it never could be made into anything, as it was all swamp. The vast change which had been made in the land, however, would quickly dispel any idea of that kind. In this case the spirit of the West was very discernible, and now the government had one of the finest sites which could be obtained.

Mr. Manson took exception to Dr. Young's remark that he would supply "Bowser's jail" with potatoes, as he thought that was in opposition to the farmers, and he, as a farmer, strongly objected. He paid a tribute to Dr. Doherty, who, he said, secured the finest of everything both for his patients and for the farm.

In conclusion Dr. Young made a short address and gave credit to Dr. Doherty, "the man who had made possible the achievement of the new hospital; who has not only medical ability, but executive ability."

Three cheers were then given for His Honor, Hon. Dr. Young and Dr. Doherty.

COQUITLAM HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

On Saturday His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Paterson laid the corner stone of this institution, which will, when completed, be one of the finest of its kind in existence.

THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE.

Where is the seat of Morality? What is it that can make a man just, kind and true? An examination of the myriad biographies, autobiographies, and confessions in our library leads us to suspect certain supposed sources. In the first place the Religious Feeling, important as it is in the formation of a full character, is not to be unreservedly relied upon. Thousands of examples prove that spiritual emotion may exist in the same breast with various hurtful traits. Secondly, Authority is not sufficient. It may have its place in the training of the race, but it cannot alone produce righteousness. Third, Rewards and Punishments break down at the final test; men grow indifferent or defiant toward them; the best part of a man can neither be bribed nor threatened, nor even by heaven and hell.

Upon reflection it will be discovered that the only reliable source of goodness and rightness in the human heart is the dominance of what we call Altruism in its instincts. All sin, whether against self or society, is in its last analysis selfishness. The task of civilization is to replace the egoistic by the altruistic feelings; that is, care of self by care of one's family, personal pride by civic, desire for individual by desire for national or racial success. The centre of one's love, ambition, solicitude and energy is to be moved over from the individual to the group and finally to humanity.

To accomplish this, many and complex means are necessary. Religion, Law, Education and Culture all have their part. Breeding is an important factor, and so is environment. But the end is attained only in so far as one FEELS humanity. The Golden Rule of Jesus, to do as we would be done by, is the same as Kant's Categorical Imperative: "Handle so, dass die Maxime deines Willens jederzeit zugleich als Prinzip einer allgemeinen Gesetzgebung gelten Koenne.—So act that the motives of your individual Will might be used in making universal law."

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Feb. 27.—5 a. m.—Another vast area of high pressure has developed over this western part of the country, reaching from the ocean to the lakes and the lower valley of the Mississippi, its centre overlying Montana and the Dakotas. Light snow has fallen in Nebraska, Utah and Colorado, but elsewhere fair weather is general, with lower temperatures on the Pacific slope and a decided cold wave throughout the prairie provinces, reaching 30 below zero at Minnedosa.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Tuesday.

Victoria and vicinity—Northerly and easterly winds, fair and cold at night.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair and cold.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.46; temperature, 35; minimum, 35; wind, 8 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.52; temperature, 26; minimum, 2.; wind, calm; weather, clear

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.62; temperature, 18; minimum, 14; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.62; temperature, 6; minimum, 6; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.56; temperature, 26; minimum, 24; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.62; temperature, 2; minimum, zero; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.78; temperature, 14 below; minimum, 18 below; wind, 10 miles W.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Saturday:

Temperature.

Highest	47
Lowest	34
Average	40

Rain, trace.
Bright sunshine, 8 hours 6 minutes.
General state of weather, fair.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Sunday:

Temperature.

Highest	45
Lowest	38
Average	41

Bright sunshine, 9 hours 54 minutes.
General state of weather, fine.

—The Daughters of Scotland will hold their monthly meetings in the Forestrs' hall, Broad street, in future. The meetings are to be held on the first Friday in each month, starting at 8 o'clock sharp until 9, and a dance to follow.

PERJURY CHARGE.

Result of Recent Investigation by New York Legislature.

New York, Feb. 27.—Perjury charges against Congressman Otto Foelker will be the come-back of former State Senator Frank Gardner, who was accused by Foelker of trying to bribe him to vote against the Hughes' anti-race track bills when both were members of the New York legislature. Under cross-examination in the recent legislative inquiry into the charges against Gardner, Foelker swore that he took the regent's examination for admission to the bar. Gardner's attorneys declare they will prove that Foelker dodged the examination and that he was passed after a former room-mate had answered the prescribed questions in his name.

—Fishing tackle that's fit for fishing, at Victoria Sporting Goods Store, Douglas street.

WHAT DRESS MEANS TO ALL WOMANKIND

What Finch & Finch Do to Cultivate the Art of Dressing Well

How to dress is an individual proposition and cannot be disposed of collectively like the dressing of a regiment of soldiers. In the city of Victoria the question of dress is of paramount importance, not only because she is the "Queen" city of the west, but because within her gates culture exercises a wide influence, is dictatory in her demands and sweeping in her judgments. If the suggestion of a hint might be dropped one would say that the ladies of Victoria who are desirious of finding expression for their artistic taste in dress should visit the Finch & Finch block on Yates street, and there regale their talents with an exhaustive examination of the goods exhibited, and on hand, and incidentally expand their repertoire of ideas in regard to the artistry of dress.

This comparatively new store of an old firm is a revelation to the initiated as well as the uninitiated. The windows magnetize the attention of the idle pedestrian and insist upon admiration, and it is always forthcoming because they deserve it. Beautiful models of spring costumes lure the delicate sensibilities, and while they fill to the full the perception of the beautiful they defy technical description. Succumbing to the irresistible temptation to enter and explore the beauties so entrancingly shadowed forth the visitor discovers charming pieces of artistic lingerie peeping at her from all corners.

The counters on the main floor are built upon glass cases which contain all the minor but integral accessories to the outfit of the perfectly dressed woman. On the one side there is arrayed an attractive collection of hair ornaments, supplemented by a large variety of delicate and transparent like frills and collarettes, while on the other the fancy is diverted by the multiplicity and delicacy of the silken underwear.

Upstairs one finds first a semi-floor upon which the offices of the firm and the workrooms are located. These departments occupy only a portion of the floor space and yet are spacious and delightfully airy, thanks to the many windows at the rear of the building, which, together with those in front, keep the entire building in a flare of daylight. Immediately beneath the workrooms the children's department is situated, and too much attention cannot possibly be drawn to the stock of beautiful costumes which the firm has on hand for girls up to eighteen years of age.

Proceeding further upstairs one comes into the sanctum of the building, the department dedicated in beautiful color tones of white and gold to the display of gowns and mantles. Here all the latest creations of London, Paris and New York are stocked; and where they differ so widely from the goods of other firms trading in similar wares is that they are stocked in individual boxes, the object being to keep them always absolutely dust-free. It is an idea of preservation that has been introduced to the city by Finch & Finch. Paquin models of indescribable beauty can be unfolded from their particular drawer and exhibited to the purchaser's dazzled sight, after which, if she thinks that a siesta is necessary for her to recover her self-possession, she may retire into a beautifully fitted retiring room where comfortable divans invite the languid to repose. Naturally this is the department in which the greatest pride is taken, and the pride is justified, for it is a beautifully appointed and equipped branch of the firm's field of operations.

The millinery department, and the coat and costume department are on the same floor. Like the gowns and mantles the hats have individual boxes. They comprise the last word in ladies head gear, and if they cannot be joys forever owing to the exigencies of moodful fashion they are certainly things of supreme beauty. At various points of this hall there are private fitting rooms well appointed with mirrors. The main floor itself is lined with reflectors, and by means of the opening panels it is possible to have a triplicate reflection. The equipment and division of the house is a most commendable work. It shows everything to the best advantage and combines with that happy faculty its necessary adjunct, utility.

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Full information may be obtained on application to Fred Davey, 2664 Blanchard Street, Victoria, to whom Tenders must be sent.

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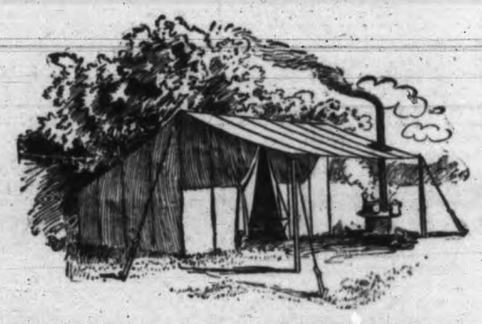
570 JOHNSON STREET



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With one of HINTON'S ELECTRIC IRONS. Electric Irons are more in demand than ever, and those that we carry are of the finest manufacture.

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FEBRUARY COFFEES

Phone your grocer

CROWN COFFEE 40c
MAPLE LEAF 35c

EXCELLENCE OF COFFEES.

Pioneer Coffee & Spice Mills Estab. 1875

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ANCHOR COFFEE . . .30c
HORSE SHOE 25c
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We have our own vegetable gardens, consequently you can rely on our produce being always fresh. Special attention given to

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We also have a prompt delivery service for the family trade.

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642 Cormorant St. Phone

Neilson's Chocolates

The Chocolates that are Different

THERE is no such thing as stale Neilson's Chocolates.

They can't get stale, for Neilson's Chocolates—are prepared by a special process which makes this impossible.

They are made right, of the right materials, genuine fruit flavors, pure sugar, rich cream, and the finest chocolate in the world.

Send 80c. for pound box of Neilson's assorted chocolates—if your dealer does not carry them. 33 different packages.

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WESTERN CANADA FLOUR MILLS COMPANY

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Your next breakfast should include

PURITY FOOD

You will revel in the matchless flavor of this product of the famous Purity Mills,—it's made from the choicest Western wheat—and it's simply fine! Try it. Your grocer has it or will get it for you. 74

MAPLEINE

A flavoring used the same as lemon or vanilla. By dissolving granulated sugar in water and adding Mapleine, a delicious syrup is made and a syrup better than maple. Mapleine is sold by grocers. If not send 30c for 2 oz. bottle and recipe book. Crescent Mfg. Co., Seattle, Wn.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

COUNTY COURT LIST FOR MONTH OF MARCH

Judge Lampman to Resume Seat on Bench Monday Morning

Judge Lampman will resume his seat in the County court bench Monday morning next, after an absence of nearly three months, during which time he has been confined to hospital suffering from illness. The County court list for March contains nine cases set over from last month and eight new cases, besides eight judgment summons applications. The list, for which dates will be set next Monday morning, is as follows:

From Last Month.

Knight (W. J. Taylor), v. Harris (A. J. Patton).

Burns (Moresby), v. Bruggy (Tait).

Leiser (Morphy), v. Le Cogue (Tait).

Gray (Crease), v. Chapman (Helmcken).

Shade (Aikman), v. Espouf (Tait).

Brayshaw (Morphy), v. Ducrest (Mann).

Ching Chung (Higgins), v. Bell (Langley).

Rex (Harrison), v. Lim Sow (Moresby).

Lai Chee (McPhillips), v. Wing Hong (Wilson).

New Cases.

Shaw (Martin), v. Churchill (Taylor).

Fairfull (Higgins), v. Erb (Wilson).

Sims (Davie), v. Craddock (Fell).

Robinson (Tait), v. B. C. Electric (McPhillips).

York (Shandley), v. Rosenberger (Aikman and Higgins).

News-Advertiser (Robertson), v. Bulter (in person).

Krump (Morphy), v. Graham & Grant (Higgins).

Geiger (Robertson), v. Hickey (Morphy).

MAYOR AND ALDERMEN ARE AGAIN IN OFFICE

(Continued from page 1.)

land registry office is to be open to him and to his assistants at such hours as the attorney-general may fix. His decision as to whether or not any citizen is a British subject shall be final and conclusive. Should any further provisions, or any alterations, or any extension of time be found necessary the lieutenant-governor-in-council is authorized to declare such. The commissioner is to deliver to the mayor and aldermen a certified copy of the list after the appointment of the returning officer.

In regard to expenses the bill enacts: "The cost of preparation and passing of this Act and of all charges made by the commissioner for his own services and for the services of others, and of all disbursements or expenses to which the commissioner may be put in connection with the preparation of the said list of voters, shall be certified by the provincial secretary, whose certificate shall be final, binding, and conclusive, and the city of Victoria shall forthwith pay to the said commissioner the amount certified to by the said provincial secretary."

H. C. Brewster, when the bill was in committee, asked if it was proposed to exclude holders of agreements of sale from the franchise.

The premier replied in the affirmative.

Mr. Brewster pointed out that there is a great many of these people in the city. On one street he knew of one hundred who had paid greater or lesser amounts on their property under agreements to purchase, and who were paying the taxes. It was very desirable, he thought, that these people should have the right to vote.

The premier expressed himself as in sympathy with this and said it would be carefully considered by the government later on in connection with the municipal act. At present these people were not entitled to vote, and as the bill was only to provide for a special election in Victoria their claims could not be considered at present.

TOURING WORLD.

San Francisco, Feb. 27. — General Constantine Smirnoff, who was second in command of the Russian army at Port Arthur in the war with Japan, has arrived here in company with his daughter Ludmella. The two are making a tour of the world. They spent several weeks in China and Japan before crossing the Pacific.

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THE DOCTOR: "Ah! yes, restless and feverish. Give him a Steedman's Powder and he will soon be all right."

Steedman's Soothing Powders

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Feb. 27.

	High.	Low.	Bid.
Amal. Copper	63½	63	63½
Amn. Agr. Chemical	57½	54¾	56¾
Amn. Beet Sugar	46¾	46	46¾
Amn. can, pref.	80½	80½	80
Amn. Car. & Foundry	53¾	52¾	53¼
Amn. Cotton Oil	62½	60¾	61½
Amn. Locomotive	38	36¾	38
Amn. Smelting	77½	76¾	76¾
Amn. Sugar	122½	118¾	120¾
Amn. Tel. & Tel.	145½	144½	144½
Atchison	104⅛	103¾	104
B. & O.	102¾	102½	102¾
B. R. T.	78	77¼	77¼
C. P. R.	214½	213¾	213¾
Central Leather	29½	29¼	29¼
C. "	83¾	82¾	82½
C., M. & St. P.	123¾	122¾	122½
Con. Gas	141½	140½	141
D. . R. G.	32½	32	32½
Distillers Sec.	35½	35	35½
Erie	29½	28½	28¾
Do., 1st pref.	48½	48½	48¾
Do., 2nd pref.	38½	37¾	38½
Goldfield Cons.	7	6¾	6¾
G. N., pref.	125¾	124½	125
G. N. Ore ctfs.	59½	58½	58¾
Inter-Metro.	18½	18¾	18½
Do., pref.	52½	51½	52
Inter. Harvester	117½	116	116
Kas. City Southern	33½	33¾	33½
Lehigh Valley	144½	173½	173½
M., St. P. & S. S. M.	140½	140½	140½
M., K. & T.	33	32½	32½
Mo. Pacific	56½	56	55½
N. Y. C.	108¾	107½	108
N. & W.	104½	104½	104½
N. P.	123¾	122½	122½
Pennsy.	126½	125¾	125¾
People's Gas	106½	106	105¾
Reading	156¾	154½	155¾
Rock Island	29½	29½	29¾
Do., pref.	59½	59	59
S. P.	116¾	115½	115¾
Sou. Railway	26½	26	26½
U. P.	176	174½	175½
U. S. Rubber	46¾	45½	46
U. S. Steel	78½	76¾	77½
Do., pref.	118½	118½	118½
Utah Copper	45½	44½	45
Va.-Car. Chem.	70	68½	69½
Wabash	17½	16¾	17
Do., pref.	38	37½	37¾
Westinghouse	69½	69	69½

Money on call, 2@2½ per cent.
Total sales, 407,800 shares.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(By courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Feb. 27.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	89½	89¾	88¾	89¾
July	87½	88½	87½	88
Sept.	87	87½	86¾	87½
Corn—				
May	47½	47¾	47½	47½
July	48½	48½	48¼	48¼
Sept.	49¼	49¼	49	49½
Oats—				
May	31½	31½	30½	30¾
July	30½	30½	30¼	30½
Sept.		30½	33½	30¼
Pork—				
May	17.45	17.50	17.35	17.50
July	16.60	16.75	16.60	16.75
Lard—				
May	9.15	9.15	9.07	9.12
July	9.10	9.12	9.05	9.10
Short Ribs—				
May	9.40	9.47	9.37	9.45
July	9.12	9.17	9.07	9.15

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Feb. 27.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Feb.	....	....	....	14.05-07
March	13.94	14.05	13.83	14.07-09
April	....	....	....	14.18-20
May	14.13	14.31	14.06	14.28-30
June	....	....	....	14.27-29
July	14.09	14.29	14.06	14.25-28
Aug.	13.72	13.95	13.71	13.93-95
Oct.	12.69	12.75	12.65	12.73-74
Dec.	12.56	12.65	12.55	12.61-62

THE CITY MARKET

Oils—	
Pratt's Coal Oil	1.65
Eocene	1.75
Meats—	
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	.20
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	.22
Ham (American), per lb.	.25
Bacon (American), per lb.	.22
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	.22
Beef, per lb.	.12½@ .25
Pork, per lb.	.15@ .25
Mutton, per lb.	.15@ .20
Lamb, hindquarter	2.50@ 3.00
Lamb, forequarter	1.75@ 2.00
Veal, per lb.	.10@ .25
Suet, per lb.	.15
Farm Produce—	
Fresh Island Eggs	.45
Butter, Cowichan	.55
Butter, Victoria	.50
Butter, Salt Spring	.50
Butter (Eastern Townships)	.35
Lard, per lb.	.20
Western Canada Flour Mills—	
Purity, per sack	1.90
Purity, per bbl.	7.50
Hungarian Flour—	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	1.90
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	7.50
Robin Hood, per sack	1.90
Robin Hood, per bbl.	7.50
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack	1.90
Vancouver Milling Co. Hungarian, per bbl.	7.50
Lake of Woods, per sack	1.90
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	7.50
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	1.90
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	7.50
Enderby, per sack	1.90
Enderby, per bbl.	7.50
Pastry Flours—	
Snowflake, per sack	1.85
Snowflake, per bbl.	7.00
Vancouver Milling Co., Wild Rose	1.85
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.75
Grain—	
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton	40.00@50.00
Wheat, per lb.	.02½
Barley	35.00
Whole Corn	35.00
Cracked Corn	38.00
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.	.35
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk.	.90
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk.	1.80
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 80-lb. sk.	3.50
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	.50
Oatmeal, 100-lb. sack	2.25
Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs.	.35
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	.35
Wheat Flakes, per packet	.12½@ .35
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	.45
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	.45
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	1.75
Feed—	
Hay (baled), per ton	23.00@28.00
Straw, per bale	.75
Middlings, per ton	35.00
Bran, per ton	32.00
Crushed Feed, per ton	35.00
Shorts	32.00
Poultry—	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	.35
Ducks, per lb.	.25@ .30
Geese (Island), per lb.	.20@ .25
Garden Produce—	
Cabbage, per lb.	.03
Potatoes (local)	2.00@ 2.25
Seed Potatoes, per sack	2.50
Onions, per lb.	.05
Carrots, per lb.	.02

WHOLESALE MARKET.

Bacon	.17@ .22
Hams	.16@ .18½
Lard	.14@ .16
Cheese	.15½@ .17
Creamery Butter	.30@ .32
Eggs	.32@ .35
Apples	1.25@ 2.75
Bananas	.06½
Beets, per sack	2.00
Cabbage, per lb.	.03
Cranberries, per bbl.	12.50
Celery, per doz.	.30
Cauliflower, per doz.	1.60
Grapefruit, per box	4.00
Lemons	3.00@ 4.50
Rhubarb, per lb.	.12
Lettuce, per crate	1.75
Oranges, Navels, case	2.50@ 3.00
Oranges, Japs.	.40
Onions	.04
Potatoes, per ton	38.00@ 42.00
Parsnips, per sack	2.00
Tomatoes, per crate	2.50
Turnips, per sack	1.25
Haddies, per lb.	.07
Kippers, per lb.	.10
Halibut, per lb.	.15
Salmon, per lb.	.15
Brazils, per lb.	.18
Almonds, per lb.	.20
Chestnuts, per lb.	.15
Filberts, per lb.	.15
Peanuts, roasted	.10
Walnuts, per lb.	.16@ .21
Dates, per lb.	.07½@ .08
Figs, per lb.	.10@ .12
Cucumbers (hot-house), per doz.	2.50
Artichokes (Rose), per doz.	1.50
Parsley	.40
Watercress	.40
Brussels Sprouts	.10
Cucumbers, per doz.	2.50
Artichokes, Globe, per doz.	1.40
Bitter Oranges, per case	3.50
Sweet Potatoes, per lb.	.09

NOME RESIDENT DEAD.

Nome, Alaska, Feb. 27.—Colonel L. L. Sawyer, one of the most prominent men in Nome, died Saturday, aged about 75 years. He won his military title in a Connecticut regiment during the Civil war, and is said to have been prominent in politics in that state before he came to Alaska. Here he was interested in tin mines, and has been president of the board of education. Three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer celebrated their golden wedding, assisted by the entire gold camp, which had never before witnessed such an anniversary.

NEW PARISH HALL.

Bishop Perrin Performs Opening Ceremony At Cedar Hill.

Under the most auspicious circumstances the new Parish hall at Cedar Hill was formally declared open on Friday by Bishop Perrin. In declaring the hall open and dedicating it to the work for which it was created the bishop took the occasion to review the history of the church in the district. He contrasted the present commodious hall with the meagre accommodation which had to serve their purpose some forty years ago. The function was given a wider interest by the submission of a musical programme.

The architecture of the hall has been admirably rendered. Captain Cullin, who is responsible for the work, has succeeded in making the hall 30 feet by 50 feet, with a pretty stage and two anti-rooms. The total cost was $2,740, of which $1,570 has been subscribed.

OUR LETTER BOX

UNSEEMLY JOCULARITY.

To the Editor:—I think it may be admitted it is not a display of good taste if a writer of an editorial becomes "funny" when referring to fatal accidents. In fact, indirectly trading (at so much a line) upon the affliction and bereavement of relatives. Short and funny (?) articles of this description have appeared upon sundry occasions right here in Victoria; but certainly not in the Times.

It is sufficient to instance (out of many) only two examples of this questionable display of taste:

Some time ago down East a young man lost his life in breaking the fall from a height of a lady, when his neck was broken. This fatal accident was facetiously dealt with and described as a "fat sweetheart falling upon her lover," etc. A friend down east who knew those unfortunate young people speaks of the editorial I have referred to as "vulgar and distress" to their relatives and friends. The other case occurred a few days ago, when a woman's hat pin accidentally scratched a man's face, causing blood poisoning and death. This was too good a chance to be overlooked by the editorial wit, who attributed the accident more to the "cheek of the deceased" than the "length of the hat pin." However, we need not expect any unpleasant denouement, as, speaking vulgarly, such scribblers take jolly good care to refer only to "fatal accidents" occurring at a safe distance.

DISGUSTED.

BOHEMIANISM RAMPANT.

Deutsche Verein Arranging for a Triumps' Carnival to Succeed Banquet.

Having but whetted their appetite for entertainment by their banquet in the Empress hotel the Deutsche Verein Society is planning another function, this time, however, of an entirely different order. They propose to hold a tramps' carnival—the technical title is "lumpenabend," which means a Bohemian entertainment—at which the costumes will be noted for their incongruity as well as their insufficiency. Mr. Frfank Heim, who is in charge of the arrangements, has ordered a large stock of fancy costumes, hats and masks for the occasion. The carnival will be held in the club rooms on Government street.

FORMATION OF ADULT SCHOOL.

A meeting for the above-named purpose was held in the Friends' hall, 717 Courtney street, near Douglas, on Friday night, H. K. Harris presiding. The condition of city life as affecting loggers, clerks, and workingmen was discussed, and the erection of a hall for the purposes of recreation and amusements was suggested. The adult school meets on Sunday mornings, at 9.45 to 10.45, sharp. Irrespective of creeds or beliefs, the truth as told in the Bible, will be discussed. The meeting was adjourned until Friday, the 3rd inst., at 7.30 p. m., when all interested are invited to be present.

ASSISTANCE FOR STARVING CHINESE

Cash Contributions Received at Seattle Now Exceed $14,500

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 27.—Cash contributions for the relief of the starving Chinese, received by the Commercial club, total $14,571.56. Subscription lists will be opened this week by 1,500 newspapers in the northwest. Mayor L. D. Taylor, of Vancouver, B. C., sent word yesterday that contributions from his city would reach Seattle shortly.

Fifty volunteers are selling tickets for the grand ball at the Dreamland in honor of the officers of the transport Buford. Several hundred members of the local Chinese colony will appear in the grand march with their wives in native costume.

The Buford is due here to-day. It is expected that she will be ready to sail March 7.

REFUSES TO PAY ALIMONY.

Man Declares He Will Stay in Jail the Rest of His Life.

Iola, Kas., Feb. 27.—Rather than pay alimony to his former wife, Peter Ball declares he will stay in jail the rest of his life. He has spent about two years in prison since his divorce troubles first came up.

Mrs. Jane Ball obtained a divorce from Ball six years ago and he was ordered to pay her $600 alimony. He refused to pay and was sent to jail for contempt. Ball carried the case to the Supreme court, which ruled against him.

WILL EXPLORE ARCTIC.

Expedition Announced by Capt. Baldwin—Equipment Will Include Aeroplanes and Balloons.

Denver, Col., Feb. 27.—An arctic expedition, in which reaching the north pole will be a secondary matter, was announced here by Capt. Baldwin, the explorer. Capt. Baldwin, who commanded the Baldwin-Zeigler expedition to Franz Josef land in 1901-2, expects to launch his expedition about September, 1912. The expedition, he says, will have aeroplanes and ballons as part of the equipment. It will start from Behring Strait and will follow the polar ice drift for several years. The object will be, he says, to collect scientific data and to complete the magnetic survey now being made by the Carnegie institute. Reaching the north pole, Capt. Baldwin believes, will be an easy matter and will be a mere incident.

O. O. O.

Nest 1383 will meet in A. O. F. Hall, Broad street, 8 p.m., Monday evening next.

FRANK F. JEWELL, Secretary.

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LAND ACT.

DISTRICT OF COAST, RANGE III.

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$125 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent.

A MEETING

Of the owners of Golf Links Park is being held to raise the prices of all lots in Golf Links Park

$70,000 Worth

Of property has already been sold and the owners feel that they are entitled now to reap the same profits on the balance that the other purchasers will reap from the GREAT DEVELOPMENT THAT WILL TAKE PLACE IN THIS DISTRICT

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NO DETAILS UNTIL INQUIRY IS HELD

Capt. Stewart Refuses to Give Out Information Regarding Seizure

According to naval rules Captain Stewart, of H. M. C. S. Rainbow, which seized the American fishing schooner Edrie off Cape Scott, at 1 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, is not permitted to make any statement regarding the capture prior to the official inquiry before the Admiralty court. The schooner, which was towed to Vancouver by the cruiser, has been taken to the government wharf at New Westminster and her catch of 2,500 pounds of halibut was sold last week to the Billingsgate Fish company.

It is stated that the Rainbow was proceeding along the three-mile limit and that the Edrie was seen about four hundred yards inside the line. Reports come from Seattle with the arrival of the fishing schooner Malola, which was in the immediate vicinity when the cruiser came upon the Edrie, that an attempt was made to get the dories on board and three of them had been hoisted in. Gear to the value of $400 was cut away and the Edrie got moving. The Rainbow hailed her, and getting no answer fired a blank cartridge across her bows, whereupon the schooner shut off her gasoline engines. The Rainbow sent a party of bluejackets aboard and took the schooner in tow.

Capt. Daniels, of the Edrie, together with his men, however, state that they were not within the three-mile limit, but this is generally the statement made by the unfortunate ones. It is certain that Capt. Stewart knew his position and that he would not have made the seizure had the schooner not been intruding. Seattle shipping men are inclined to believe that it will result in international difficulties.

The Edrie is said by her owners, the Chlopeck Fishing Co., to be worth $28,000. She is 111 tons gross and sixty tons net register, ninety-two feet long, with an eighteen-foot beam and seven-foot draft. She was built in 1907 at Seattle and has capacity for 120,000 pounds of halibut. Her engines are 150 horsepower and she carries a crew of twenty-seven men, including sixteen fishermen. President and General Manager W. T. Chutter of the company has entered a protest with United States Consul-General D. F. Wilbur. Commander Stewart of the Rainbow already has been in conference with Consul-General Wilbur regarding his action.

Word has been received from Vancouver stating that the Rainbow, which it was supposed would remain in Vancouver for several days, proceeded to the fishing grounds on the hunt for more poachers last Saturday. It will not be surprising if another seizure is made within a few days.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Seattle—Sailed: Str. Prince George for Prince Rupert. Arrived: Str. Atlas from San Francisco.

San Francisco: Arrived: Strs. Argyll, Buckman, President from Seattle. Sailed. Bkn. Gardner city for Ludlow; schooner W. Bartlett for Port Townsend.

New York—Sailed: Str. Coulsden for Vancouver.

Halifax — Arrived: Corsican from Liverpool; Megantic from Liverpool. Sailed: Empress of Britain for Liverpool.

Suez—Arrived: Protesilaus from Tacoma and Victoria for Liverpool.

Carrying all the cargo that could be crammed into her holds, the steamship Knight of St. George left Tacoma on Saturday for the Antipodes. The St. George is under charter to the Weir line, and this is her first trip under the Bank flag.

RELIEF GOING FOR FAMINE SUFFERERS

U. S. Army Transport Buford to Carry Supplies to China From Seattle

Bound on a mission of benevolence, the United States army transport Buford passed in at Tatoosh last night at 11 o'clock and reached Seattle early this morning, at which port she will load a large cargo of assorted supplies for the thousands of sufferers by famine in China. The Buford, which came up from San Francisco, was under orders to go to Manila with the Second Infantry, but was transferred last week.

Arrangements have been made to have the Buford leave the Sound for the Orient on Friday, March 10. Nothing definite has yet been decided on as to what port in China she will stop at, but she will steam direct for Nagasaki, Japan, where she will receive orders as to her ultimate destination. Included in the monster cargo which the transport will take will be a large quantity of flour and Red Cross supplies, which will aid materially the work of that order among the famine sufferers.

Reports of the terrible conditions prevailing in the Orient have been received on this side of the Pacific by the many liners which have arrived. In nearly every city on the coast something of a substantial nature has been done to aid the sufferers and it is expected that shortly relief will be found for them. The action of the United States government has been favorably commented upon all along the coast.

HEAVY GALE DELAYS BIG KOSMOS LINER

Uarda is Four Days Out From 'Frisco and Has Not Been Reported

Evidently the big Kosmos liner Uarda (Capt. Peterson), has run into the heavy northeast gale which blew yesterday. She was due to arrive here last night, having left San Francisco on Thursday afternoon, but up to the time of going to press she had not put in an appearance at Cape Flattery. These steamships generally take three days to complete the passage from the Golden Gate but the Uarda is now out nearly four days.

Yesterday's gale was blowing at a great velocity in the afternoon and as it was prevailing all along the coast, it is thought that the Kosmos liner has been faring badly in the big seas. She has very little cargo in her holds and would be a plaything for the raging elements. The Uarda is coming from Hamburg and is one hundred and twenty days out. During the passage she has met some stiff weather, especially in the Straits of Magellan.

The steamship is bringing 600 tons of nitrate for the Victoria Chemical Works from Chilean ports. She will, on arriving, tie up at the Chemical Company's wharf and commence discharging, after which she will proceed to the Sound to load a cargo for her return trip.

SHOT BY ROBBERS.

Ellensburg, Wash., Feb. 27.—Joseph Shull, former chief of police of Ellensburg and a member of the merchants' patrol, was shot and instantly killed in a revolver duel early to-day with robbers who held up a local cafe. The robbers escaped.

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MURDERER TWO YEARS AT LARGE CONFESSES

Brought South on the Prince George From Rupert, Where He Confessed

Charged with murdering Henry Williams, a negro, in a saloon brawl on July 25, 1908, at Kennewick, Wash., T. O'Brien, who gave himself up at Prince Rupert early this month, was brought south on the G. T. P. steamer Prince George (Capt. Robertson), which arrived in port on Saturday night. Deputy Sheriff E. D. Ellis, who was sent north from Kennewick to bring the convicted man down to stand trial, continued on the George to Seattle with his prisoner, who will be brought up for preliminary hearing as soon as possible.

Since committing the murder O'Brien has wandered all over the country with the hope of evading capture, having gone to the north three times. The sheriff stated that he made a complete confession to him during the trip down from Rupert that that he is glad that the affair has at last come to an end, as he has been haunted and hounded ever since. In July of last year he came to Victoria with the intention of giving himself up to the police authorities but was persuaded not to by a friend.

O'Brien was drunk at the time of the murder and there was a regular mix-up in the saloon. The bartender had trouble with the negro and forced him to leave the place only by brute strength. After a while the darkie returned and as he passed O'Brien the latter swung and caught Williams a smashing blow on the head, which resulted in his death. Friends of the murderer advised him to leave the country and he proceeded to Vancouver where he caught a boat for the north. After spending some time there he came south, but believing that the police were on his tracks went to Prince Rupert again.

Unable to stand the winter conditions at the G. T. P. terminal city he came south to Victoria last year and being on the verge of mental collapse he had decided to confess having committed the deed to the local police. Late last summer, however, he retraced his steps to the north and this time settled on Queen Charlotte islands. In January of this year he returned to Prince Rupert and on February 7 gave himself up. Deputy Sheriff Ellis was sent north to take charge of the man and had little trouble with him. The sheriff stated Saturday night that he did not think the murderer would pay the penalty of death for his deed as a number of witnesses have died, but that he would be given a term of imprisonment.

From Prince Rupert the George had a splendid trip, the weather being extremely fine. She cut several hours off the time and arrived in Vancouver with considerable time to spare. Among the passengers who came south were: Ald. Pattulla, of Prince Rupert, and Mrs. Pattulla; Alex. McDermott, of the Victoria Stevedoring Co.; L. Crippen, R. Murry, T. E. Edwards, Thomas Smith, H. S. Durkee, W. Geddes, H. W. Patterson, M. Albert, A. F. Kobes, W. M. Harlow, K. Kasnovitch, S. Woods, W. Woods, R. L. Woods, J. P. Jones, W. J. Lincoln, A. Marshall and A. F. Kobes.

WIRELESS REPORTS

February 27, 8 a. m.

Point Grey.—Clear; calm; 30.44; 34; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo.—Clear; wind N. W.; 30.40; 37; sea smooth.

Tatoosh.—Cloudy; wind north 30 miles; 30.45; 40; sea smooth. In, steamer Col. E. L. Drake at 9.20 p. m.; in, U. S. army transport Buford at 11 p. m.; out, Camano, towing, at 5.15 a. m.; outside bound in, steamship Strathbaine; inside bound out, steamship Strathav.

Pachena.—Clear; wind west; 30.05; 38; sea smooth.

Estevan.—Clear; light N. W. wind; 30.03; 5; sea moderate. Tees at Hesquoit at 10.15 p. m.

Triangle.—Cloudy; wind N. W. 36 miles; 29.29; 38; sea moderate.

Ikeda.—Clear; light north wind; 30.50; 38; heavy swell.

Prince Rupert.—Clear; wind north, 30.47; 49; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point.—Clear; calm; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey.—Cloudy; calm; 30.54; 44; out, steamer Vadso at 9 a. m.; in, Gassiar at 10.05 a. m.

Cape Lazo.—Clear; calm; 30.52; 57; sea moderate.

Tatoosh.—Clear; wind N. E. 22 miles; 30.45. Out, steamer Strathalvan at 8.15 a. m.; out, steamer Strathlay at 8.40 a. m.; in, steam schooner at 10.30 a. m.

Pachena.—Clear; wind S. E., light; 30.10; 57; sea smooth. Large two-masted steamer with black funnel and white band passed here at 10.30 a. m.

Estevan.—Clear; wind N. E., light; 30.06; 42; sea smooth.

Triangle.—Ikeda.—Clear; wind north, strong; 30.54; 40. Amur passed here northbound at noon.

Prince Rupert.—Clear; calm; 30.48; 44. Spoke Jefferson at 8.30 a. m. 25 miles from Prince Rupert northbound, reports passing Princess Beatrice 260 miles south of Prince Rupert.

Dead Tree Point.—Clear; calm; sea smooth.

FREIGHTER TAKING COAL.

To load a full cargo of Vancouver Island coal at Ladysmith for San Francisco, the big collier Strathness arrived at the quarantine station yesterday afternoon and later proceeded to the mining centre. The freighter left Portland, Ore., on Friday, and was battered about in a strong gale off Cape Flattery yesterday morning. She is one of the most modern colliers on the coast, being equipped with special apparatus for the quick dispatching of coal.

UNABLE TO RETURN; SPEND NIGHT AT SEA

Five Victorians Stormbound Off Albert Head Yesterday—Fears Felt for Safety

Unable to tack their way back to the harbor, five well known Victorians who left yesterday morning in the sloop Nancy on a pleasure cruise, were forced to drop anchor in a small bay near Albert Head and spend the night there to await the abating of the strong northwester which was blowing. Grave fears were entertained by their parents for the safety of the young men and the local police authorities were notified when they failed to return at a late hour last night. The pilots were also notified to keep a strict lookout for the boat and its occupants.

Early this morning the unskilled navigators managed to bring their vessel back to Victoria, and the broken-hearted relatives were at once notified. The young men stated that they were not put to any inconvenience through being delayed, finding comfortable quarters on the boat on which to repose their tired frames.

It appears that they left this city early yesterday morning on a day's outing in the sloop and after leaving the entrance to the harbor ran into a heavy sea. They did not, however, put back but headed out in the direction of Race Rocks. When it was time to return they found that they were unable to beat their way back to port and ran for shelter close to Albert Head. There they spent the night, and this morning set sail and headed the sloop to her moorings in the harbor and separated in various directions and made for home to get a good meal after having missed two.

SELMA COMMENCES SERVICE.

Yacht Will Enter Into Northern Passenger and Freight Trade.

About the middle of next week, the yacht Selma, in her time one of the finest in the world, will begin active service as a freight and passenger steamer between Vancouver and Powell River, with calls at such ports as the traffic demands. Her forward again has been stripped for cargo capacity, and with hold and decks she will carry about 100 tons of freight, leaving Vancouver each alternate day. The staterooms are the most luxurious that could be furnished thirty years ago, with private baths, steam heat and the richest of tapestries and fabrics.

In the plumbing of one of them was concealed the loot of the French cashier who absconded aboard her and was captured at a South American port. Most of the interior decorations remain exactly as they were when the yacht was occupied by the Marquis of Anglesea, her original owner, and among the mementoes is his post bag marked with an engraved copperplate. There is also in good condition the piano with which many of the celebrites of Europe were entertained during the Mediterranean cruises.

The Selma is owned by a company of Vancouver shipping men who have incorporated, including Captain Polkinghorne, who brought her around from the Old Country, and Captain Sam Mortimer, who will be her skipper on the Powell River run. She is 155 feet over all, with a beam of 21 ft. 6 in. and a draught of 10 ft. 6 in., and her gross tonnage is 202.

KAMAKURA MARU LEAVES.

Carrying a capacity load of general freight, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Kamakura Maru, left port on Saturday afternoon for the Far East. As usual the liner took a very large quantity of wheat and flour, together with considerable machinery. In all she had about 6,000 tons, which is consigned to various ports in Japan and China. She had several passengers, a number of them embarking at this port.

MARINE NOTES

To load 1,500 tons of herring at Vancouver the British steamship Strathtay, under charter to the Weir line, has arrived at the Terminal City. She will leave shortly with a full cargo of general freight for the Orient.

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It is reported that J. J. Moore & Co., Portland, have chartered the well-known German ship Wilhelmina to load lumber on the Columbia river for South Africa. She is at present at Portland discharging a cargo of general freight brought from Antwerp for Henry Lund & Co.

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Announcement has been made that the British steamship Damara, now lying at Portland, Ore., has been chartered to carry a cargo of lumber from the Columbia river to Australia. She is expected to load 3,500,000 feet of timber, which will help to relieve the strong pressure on the demand for lumber in Australia at present.

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The Chinese crew of the Pacific Mail liner China marked in its own unique way the retirement of Capt. Daniel E. Friele, commodore of the fleet, from active sea service yesterday. As the China, in charge of her new skipper, Capt. Rice, pulled out of San Francisco, beginning her voyage to the coast of Asia, the Chinese gathered aft and applied their punks to great strings of firecrackers dangling over the side. The roar that went up was deafening, and mingled with it were the cries of Chinese, who thus expressed their appreciation for the retiring commander, who had occupied the bridge of the China for many years. The Chinese on the liner Manchuria, lying at the other side of the slip, also started a cannonade, which seemed like the guns of another army.

LADEN WITH COAL BARQUE TAKES FIRE

Little Hope of Saving Olivebank Now Burning at Santa Rosalia

(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Feb. 27.—Advices received at the Marine Exchange Saturday said that the four-masted barque Olivebank, laden with coke and coal, is afire at Santa Rosalia, on the Mexican coast, and all hope of saving her has been abandoned.

The British barque Olivebank, of the Bank fleet of sailing vessels is well known at Victoria and on Puget Sound. She was at Tacoma about four years ago and at that time was much in public print, owing to the sensational story of a cabin boy, who had come out from Europe on the vessel. The boy accused one of her officers of brutality and an investigation was held. The officer disappeared from the vessel before the authorities had time to act.

On her present voyage to Santa Rosalia, the Olivebank left Hamburg July 31 and made a slow passage out. She is a four-masted steel barque of 2,476 net tons. She was built for Andrew Weir by Mackie & Thomson at Glasgow in 1892, being launched in October of that year. She is 226 feet in length, 43 feet beam and 24 feet depth. At present she is commanded by Capt. George. Details of the fire which threatens her destruction will be awaited with considerable interest in Puget Sound shipping circles.

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FERRY SERVICE.

Victoria-Vancouver.

Princess Victoria leaves Victoria daily at 3.30 p. m., except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 8.15 p.m.; Princess Royal leaves Victoria daily at 11.45 p. m., arriving at Vancouver at 6 a. m.

Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2.45 p. m.; Princess Royal leaves Vancouver at 1 a.m. daily, arriving at Victoria at 6.30 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.

Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 4.30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 9 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2.30 p. m. On the lie-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

Vancouver-Seattle.

Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11.30 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 8.30 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle at 11.30 p. m. daily, except Monday, arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

FLOPS OVER ON SIDE.

Gasoline Freighter E. L. Dwyer Turns Over at Seattle—Cargo Valued at $10,000 Total Loss

Seattle, Feb. 27.—By clinging to the framework of the vessel, ten members of the crew of the little gasoline freighter E. L. Dwyer saved their lives and escaped with nothing more serious than a thorough drenching in the chilly waters of Elliott Bay when the little craft, without the slightest warning, turned over on her side, at 1 o'clock Saturday morning, while lying at Pier 7.

The Dwyer, which had taken aboard forty tons of general merchandise from the city dock, proceeded at an early hour this morning to Pier 7 to take on thirty cases of halibut as deckload. The fish had just been stowed and preparations for leaving the dock were under way, when, without apparent cause, the craft took a sudden lurch to the starboard and turned completely over on her side. Her deckload was thrown overboard as the vessel toppled over and she righted herself sufficiently to remain afloat. Later in the morning the Dwyer was towed to West Seattle and beached at the shipyards of King & Winge.

At high tide the vessel is entirely submerged, nothing but her smokestack being visible above the surface of the water. The cargo of paper, carpets, dry goods and general merchandise, it is thought, will be a total loss. The deckload of halibut was recovered from the bay and placed in cold storage. Part of the halibut was not damaged.

The Dwyer is owned jointly by C. R. Mace, who is her captain, and L. A. Mace, manager, with headquarters in Everett. She is sixty-nine feet in length, seventeen feet beam, ten feet depth of hold and sixty-four tons net register.

CHARGED WITH GRAND LARCENY

New York, Feb. 27.—Jos. Robin, former millionaire banker and promoter, faces trial to-day on a charge of grand larceny growing out of the recent failure of his banks. Former District Attorney Jerome is representing Robin and probably will attempt to have his client declared insane.

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TEUTONIC	May 27
ROYAL GEORGE	May 31
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The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON

"Yes, my dear, after all I did for her in introducing her to those people and trying to do everything in my power to make her vacation pleasant, she never has shown me the slightest gratitude. Isn't that trying? I declare, it has taught me a lesson."

So said the lady on the seat in front of me in the car. Now, please don't accuse me of eavesdropping for I assure you that her tones were so forcibly audible that I should have had to put my hands over my ears or get under the seat to avoid hearing her.

Just there I reached my destination and got off the car, so I wasn't given to hear what the lesson was—if, indeed, the lady elucidated that matter.

I rather suspect she left it to the intelligence of her hearer to grasp that the lesson was that it didn't pay to do things for people because they were so apt to be ungrateful.

I wonder if there is any weakness of human nature more common and more unconscious than this greedy demand for gratitude for services done on the part of people who at the same time demand credit from the world for their generosity in performing said services.

Isn't it queer that more of us aren't logical enough to see that the moment we demand an equivalent in gratitude that moment we invalidate our bill for unselfishness?

To do good deeds because one wishes to bask in the gratitude they call forth is no more meritorious than to do kindnesses because one expects favors in return.

The only merit is to do kind things because one knows they should be done, and because one wants to help the world along.

I know a woman who seldom misses a chance to help people but who, to my mind, loses all title to generosity by always being ready to say sharp things about her beneficiaries, unless whenever they meet her they metaphorically fall on their knees and assure her, "Oh, Mrs. L., I don't know what I should have done if it hadn't been for you. I don't know how I can ever thank you," or something equally fulsome.

As for myself I haven't any use for her kind of generosity.

Real generosity inwardly shrinks from thanks and accepts them only because it knows that thanks may be the natural outlet for the recipient's state of mind and that it is cruel to deny him the opportunity to express them.

Everywhere there are people on boards and committees who do much work without pay and who take credit to themselves for this generosity, but who all the time are exacting a continual toll of gratitude and praise, and who if this is not promptly paid get in a huff and resign or at least relax their efforts.

What funny self-deceiving folks this planet is peopled with, isn't it.

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The Camosun Chapter of the Order in Victoria is in receipt of a communication from headquarters in Toronto to the effect that the Canadian Northern Railway company has offered the Order a generous allotment of accommodation on their steamers, the Royal Edward and the Royal George. In addition to the attractions of the general trip it is proposed that the members should have stand tickets for the coronation procession, and arrangements have been made whereby they can be obtained for $5 and $2.50.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Walter Gaskill has returned from England.

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The Misses Fraser, Carisbrooke, will not receive on Wednesday next.

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Mrs. A. E. McLean, 603 Trutch street, will receive on Wednesday, March 1.

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Miss Lorna Eberts has been the guest of Mrs. John Hirsch at Duncan.

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J. C. Byrne left Saturday via the Northern Pacific on a visit to Ingersoll, Ont.

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Mrs. E. Strachan, Dallas Road, will not receive again until the second Tuesday in April.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Lindley and child left Saturday night via the C. P. R. on a trip to Boston.

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Mrs. John Irving gave a farewell tea in honor of Mrs. Nares, who left with Commander Nares, on the Zealandia for Australia.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burge, Vernon Chambers, left town on Saturday for their ranch at Saanich, where they will spend the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green, of Nelson, have arrived to take up their home permanently in Victoria and are guests at the Empress hotel.

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Ernest M. Bradley, assistant city clerk, has been confined to his home for the past week suffering from an attack of pleurisy, but is now recovering.

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On Wednesday afternoon, at the manse, Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Mr. Charles Edwards Grindall, of St. Paul, Minnesota, and Miss Delilah Chadwick, of Renton, Washington.

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The Companions of the Forest intend holding another of their popular social dances on Thursday in the A. O. F. hall, Broad street, and a committee of ladies are busy preparing for the reception and entertainment of their prospective guests.

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The private subscription dance will take place this evening at the A. O. U. W. hall at 9 o'clock. Miss Thain's orchestra will be in attendance and a dainty bouffet supper will be served. As this is the last dance before Lent a delightful evening is anticipated.

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At the manse, on Friday evening, Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Mr. McQueen Russell Todd, of Wood & Todd, this city, and Miss Helen Ann Main, the fourth daughter of Mr. John Wallace, Nairn, Scotland. The groomsman was Mr. James F. Murray and the bridesmaid Miss Mabel G. Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Todd will reside at 1918 Stanley avenue.

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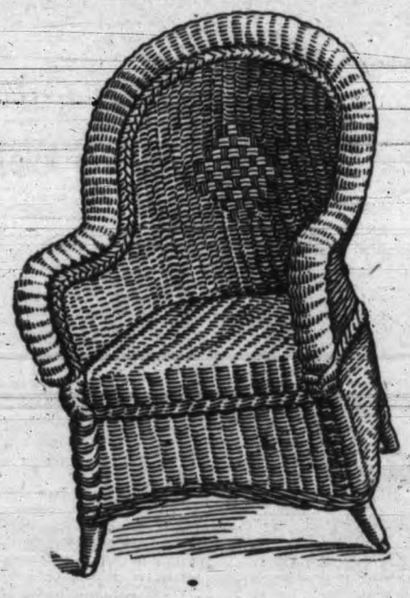

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Dated this first day of December, 1910.

F. L. SMITH.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS.

A meeting for the purpose of forming an adult Bible class was held at the Friends' hall, 717 Courtney street, near Douglas street, on Friday evening, when a group of representative young men met to talk over the future of the class.

The adult Bible class is a very large organization in England, composed of men and women who meet, fraternally, irrespective of creed or religious beliefs, to discuss the truth, wehther in the Bible or from any other source, with the idea of developing spiritual, moral and intellectual life, and to consider "live" topics.

A short sketch of its history and achievements was given by the chairman, H. K. Harris. R. W. Clark endorsed the value of the movement. A. Hodgers spoke upon existing social conditions, and proposed remedial measures to be adopted by the class. F. Haworth made a plea for the man who is "down and out." J. Martin spoke upon the needs of the "lumber-jack," and indicated the necessity for an institution to meet their requirements, as the Y. M. C. A. does not meet such requirements. A. Hinder and A. Saville also spoke.

A. R. Hodges suggested the building of a hall like Howton house, England, in which working men of all kinds could mingle in the spirit of friendship, finding such attractions and recreations as fulfilled their particular desires—physical culture for those who work in the city, and other recreation for those who work outside, all to be conducted with the idea of developing friendship.

H. Parry made an earnest appeal for those men who, from any cause, are lonely and distressed in the city, whether they have the drinking habit or are just "boys" away from home, knowing no one. He had been finding out what men do in the city, and was stirred by the necessity for an organization which will make men feel they are part of the civic life, especially men who have been imprisoned. He suggested the necessity of a prison-visiting and welcoming of discharged prisoners' body, and coupled with the suggestion that discharged prisoners should be invited to the proposed hall.

The meeting adjourned until Friday at 7.30, when all who are interested are cordially invited.

The class meets Sunday mornings from 9.45 sharp to 10.45, and is held in the Friends' hall.

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POSTPONED ANNUAL MEETING.

The meeting of Stockholders of the Klaskino Gold Mines, Ltd., advertised to be held February 24th, has been postponed until Friday, March 3rd, at 3 p. m.

A. B. ELLIS, Secretary.

REVOLUTIONARY JUNTA DENOUNCES MADERO

Leader of Mexican Insurgents is Declared to Be a Traiter

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 27.—Denouncing General Francisco Madero as a traitor to his country and proclaiming the independence of lower California from Medero's cause, La Revolucion, the official organ of the Los Angeles revolutionary junta, which controls the northern part of the lower California peninsula, was circulated here Saturday.

In a 10,000 word article signed by Ricardo Flores Magon, newley-elected head of the junta, Madero was flayed mercilessly along with L. Guiterres de Lara, a prominent Los Angeles revolutionist and other friends of Madero.

The article dwelt mainly on Madero's ultra-conservatism, but was principally devoted to an explanation of why Madero's plans never would free Mexico from the rule of Diaz, and telling in what way those of the junta here excelled them.

Publication of the article is the culmination of a bitter fight within the junta itself in which two factions strove desperately to secure control. Simultaneously it was announced that Antonio Villareal, former president of the junta, had been deposed. Villareal has been one of the most active of the insurgents and recently attracted international notice through being imprisoned for expressing his views.

Senor Gonzeles, another well-known revolutionist, resigned with the ousting of Villareal. Magon, who is leader of the opposition, is backed by Anselmo Figuera, editor of the Regeneracion.

Revolutionists Active.

Torreon, Mexico, Feb. 27.—Advices from the south tell of the holding up and robbery of a Mexican Central passenger train in the vicinity of Picardis by four hundred revolutionists, the burning of a railroad bridge, looting of a railroad station at Catalina, north of Durango, and an attempt to raid a raclenda in the state of Tlaxacala by a small force of rebels which ended in a fight with a detachment of state guards. Two of the insurrectos were killed.

The passenger train was bound for Torreon from Mexico City. The mail car was looted and the passengers relieved of their valuables.

The revolutionists have been active in the region about Torreon in the last few days. The band which attacked Pedericainas and Cuenacame a short time ago and fled upon the approach of the federal troops was reported yesterday in the neighborhood of the latter town, apparently headed for Durango.

Bomb Outrage.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 27. — A bomb thrown by an unknown person in an apparent attempt to wreck the building occupied by Colonel Tombourrel, military commandant at Juarez, struck and wrecked an adobe wall adjoining. The report heard throughout the city, stirred residents to intense excitement. There is no clue to the thrower of the bomb and no arrests have been made, but a rigid investigation is in progress. Colonel Tambourrel and staff were in the building at the time of the explosion, but all escaped injury.

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RIDICULES WAR TALK.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 27.—"There will be no war with Japan. There is not the slightest reason for thinking such a struggle imminent," said John Quimby, captain of the battleship Montana, here, refuting a recent declaration of Congressman Richard Hobson. "Hobson has been out of the navy so long that he has got out of touch with the Japanese situation. I have been in Japan recently and I know she is not prepared for hostilities. Her army is in poor condition and she would be unduc to put her navy on a war basis."

FEARS INVASION OF ASIATIC LABOR

Governor of Oregon Declares Treaty Regulations Kept Out Orientals

Salem, Ore., Feb. 27.—"I look upon it as an entering wedge to open the doors for coolie labor on the Pacific coast," said Governor West when asked for an expression of opinion relative to the treaty entered into between Japan and the United States and which congress has ratified.

"Labor conditions on the Pacific coast," continued the governor, "are better and superior to those prevailing on the Atlantic. On the Atlantic coast American labor must compete with foreign labor and it has resulted in the reduction of wages and inferior labor conditions in general. American labor on the Pacific coast would have to compete with Asiatic labor had it not been for the immigration laws and treaty restrictions on the subject. Remove these and an invasion of Asiatic labor to the Pacific coast and the placing of American labor on an equality with Asiatic labor will be the result."

THE PASSING SHOW

New Empress Theatre.

The management of the above theatre is to be congratulated on the fine line of films being obtained these days—they are second to none. For Monday and Tuesday a splendid programme is assured. One of Pathe Frere's dramas entitled "Isis," is a very pretty story of ancient Egypt, "Spreewald," a splendid outdoor picture presenting an unusually attractive panorama of beautiful German and Swiss scenery. "A Dog's Instinct," a story of a faithful black poodle, and his young mistress, showing the way he rescues her from a band of ruffians who has kidnapped her. "Fatal Caprice," is a stirring heart interest story of every day life. "A Bad Man's Christmas Gift," a study in pathos. "A Robust Patient," a Selig film, is a traversty upon sanitariums, which will undoubtedly appeal to all who see it. The experiences of this robust patient are humorous at any rate, and the vigorous way he takes of escaping from his thraldom will add zest to any programme.

Majestic Theatre.

The attraction for the first bill of the week is an emotional play written to display the genius of Madame Pilar Morin, the noted French actress. The scenes are laid in France and the story concerns a simple peasant girl who loves outside her station in life. This is a masterpiece of emotional acting, and is appropriately termed "The Greater Love." "Fates Turning" is another biograph problem photo-play wherein an attractive waitress and a young financier, who is stopping at a seaside resort, are the principal actors. The rest is the old story of misplaced confidence coming into its own in the end. "A Westerner's Way" is a story of western life which represents in a graphic way peculiar codes of honor that was observed among thieves and outlaws. "The American Fleet in French Waters" depicts Uncle Sam's naval visit to the other republics on a recent occasion. "Running Away From Fortune" is the story of a will, a can of dynamite and a dog in pursuit of the legatee, which is full of humor.

Romano Photoplay Theatre.

"At the Duke's Command," a thrilling historial darama by the Imp Company, is the feature at the Romano for to-day and Tuesday. This picture is a distinct departure from the usual thing in moving pictures, and the Imp Company has achieved a great success in its manufacture. It is an elaborately staged subject, containing thrilling moments that make the audience gasp, so realistically are they done. It is the first time that the old time torture chamber and its horrors has been used to compel a girl to sacrice herself for her lover, but the dramatic way in which she succeeds in discouraging the Duke's attention win for her the lasting regard of the audience. And then her lover, released from the torture chamber, did what the Duke did not expect him to do, leads the girl away despite the disfigurement of her once beautiful face. This picture will make a deep impression on all who see it, and the story is so clearly told that it cannot be misunderstood. "Foiling the Camorra," a tale of the Black Hand, being an incident in the life of the late Lieut. Peterosio, the Italian Sherlock Holmes, takes second place. There will be other features and the Romano orchestra will be heard in entirely new selections suitable to the pictures.

ADRIFT IN OPEN BOAT.

Fishermen Rescued After Being Swept Out to Sea.

More dead than alive after spending two days and two nights in the perishing cold on a strip of beach exposed to the driving sea spray a fisherman named Andrew Krofen, of Wrangell, Alaska, has just been rescued, says the Wrangell Sentinel.

Krofen was in charge of the fishing boat Sea Gull, and had just left the floating dock in his dory to board the Sea Gull which lay anchored in the bay. The weather was bitterly cold at the time and the wind, almost a gale, was blowing out of the harbor. He had proceeded probably half the way to the boat and stopped rowing to take his bearings and to swing his arms to restore circulation, when a sudden gust of wind swung the boat around, and he lost one of the oars overboard. He was unable to recover it, and the wind carried him out. He tried to paddle in with the remaining oar, but was unable to do so, the oar slipped from his chilled fingers, and wind and tide carried him out into the Straits.

All night long he drifted about alone in the darkness, and when morning broke he discovered that he was quite close to Rynda island, which he managed to reach after some hard paddling with a short piece of board and his bare hands. Arriving there he tried to start a fire, but found that the only three matches he had were wet and would not ignite. There was nothing else for him to do but to walk up and down the little strip of beach in his struggle to keep the spark of life aglow within him.

He was of course wet to the skin from the snow squalls and flying spray of the night before, and the bitter east wind cut like a knife. Slowly Thursday's daylight hours went by as the poor, shivering fellow paced back and forth. All night long he kept on the move. Then came Friday, nothing to eat, and the constant and ever present fear that death, lurking at his shoulder, would seize him if he stopped to rest for a moment, almost sapped him of his reason, as he struggled on.

He was still on his feet on Saturday morning when Richard Hofstad's sloop Helen hove in sight, rescued the man and brought him to town. Dr. Dawes attended him and found that in addition to the bad effects of the exposure he had undergone, practically all of his fingers had been frozen more or less.

Early Saturday morning the Scripps was sent out and was skirting Wofonkofski island when the Helen brought the missing man to town.

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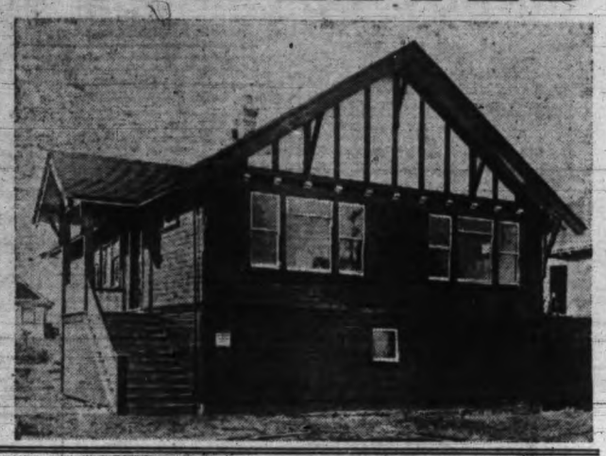

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RE LOCAL IMPROVEMENT WORKS

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, having determined that it is desirable:

1. To light Broad Street between Fort Street and Cormorant Street with electric light columns bearing culster lights, and to construct the necessary conduits for carrying wires underground.

2. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Esquimalt Road from Bridge Street to Point Ellice Bridge and to construct curbs, and gutters on both sides of said Road, including cost of sewer, surface drains and water laterals and moving of poles, if necessary, and that the said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law, and amendments thereto and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of said By-law upon each and every of said works of Local Improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid, having been adopted by the Council:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assesor, City Hall, Douglas Street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER.
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
February 22nd, 1911.

Tenders for Valves and Pig Lead

Separate tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Friday, the 3rd day of March, 1911, for the following:

350 4 in. Double Gate Valves.
100 6 in. Double Gate Valves.
10 12 in. Double Gate Valves.
15 tons best blue Pig Lead.

Specifications to be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent

City Hall, Jan. 26, '11.

Paving Tenders

Sealed tenders, marked Pavement Tenders, will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m., Friday, March 3rd, 1911, for constructing approximately 400,000 square yards of asphalt pavement. Plans, Specifications and Form of Tender may be procured at the Office of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.

Victoria, B. C., February 24th, 1911.

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Price $600 Per Acre

GOOD TERMS.

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Tenders Wanted

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN JOSEPH SULLIVAN (deceased).

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until noon of the 3rd day of March, 1911, for the purchase of the undermentioned property, viz.:

Lots 29-30-31-32, Blk. H. Part of Sections 11 and 12, Map 860, Victoria, situated on Orillia St., between the Burnside and Gorge Roads, together with buildings and improvements thereon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For particulars apply to

W. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the next regular sittings of the Board of Licencing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, for a transfer of the liquor licence now held by us for the premises at the corner of Blanchard and Pandora Streets, Victoria, B. C., and known as the Pandora Hotel, to ALBERT QUAGLIOTTI

Dated this 6th day of February, 1911.

JOHN HAGUE BASUSTOW,
STANLEY ADUTT.
By their Attorney in Fact,
L. J. QUAGLIOTTI.

James Bay

Lot 50x120.

$2,000 on Terms

One block from Beacon Hill Park and car line. Free from rock. One block from sea. See us to-day.

Oak Bay

50 Lots

Lane at rear, two blocks from cars and one block from beach.

$50 Cash and $15 Monthly

Bay Street

Lot 50x170

On a corner.

$975

No rock; dry. Only one block from Cook.

Cook Street Corner

3 lots for

$3,000

Drained; no rock; 50x120 each.

PARK ALEXANDR PARK

$750 to $950 Per Quarter Acre

This beautiful subdivision lies right on Oak Bay, the east end of it being waterfront lots. It is only two minutes' walk from cars. The whole property is level, grassy and entirely free from rock.

All of the waterfront lots are sold, the two last ones selling for $2,000 each.

If you want one, act quickly. They are nearly all sold.

We will drive you out to see these lots at 10 a.m. or 3 p.m.

Pemberton & Son

Corner Fort and Broad Street

BRITISH AIRSHIP BEING CONSTRUCTED

Naval Craft Resembles in Some Respects the Zeppelin—Is 510 Feet Long

Some additional particulars from a reliable source are to hand respecting the British naval airship now under construction at Barrow. The envelope constructed of a silk similar in character to that used in the Zeppelin, is divided into seven section. Its length is given as 510 feet, its maximum diameter as 48 feet, and its gas capacity 706,336 cubic feet.

To each of the two-sets of eight-cylinder Wolseley engines — each engine being rated at about 200 horsepower—there are attached eight sheet metal tanks. Each tank has a storage capacity of 2,000 gallons of petrol, so that the total storage capacity of the tanks when full is 32,000 gallons. The tanks are welded together in oil-tight sections, consequently, accident or injury to any section would involve the loss only of a minute fraction of the buoyancy of the airship. In consequence of these features of her equipment, the airship is fitted with some 300 yards of aulminum piping. Her lifting capacity is estimated at 21 tons, as against 16 1-2 tons, the lifting capacity of the Zeppelin VIII., and her computed speed is 45 miles an hour obtained from the three propellers designed to run at 500 revolutions per minute.

In order to minimize the weight, the framework has been constructed of the new alloy aluminum known as "duralium," which is stated to be both lighter and stronger than the pure aluminum used in the construction of the German airships. From these particulars it is evident that the airship is designed to take long voyages and to maintain efficiency, even if struck during an attack. As the tests to which all parts are being subjected are very thorough, it is not likely that the ship will be ready for her trial flight before May next.

BOY'S SACRIFICE.

When William Arnold, aged fifteen, giving an address at Tottenham, was charged at Highgate, London, police court recently with acting as a pedlar without a certificate, he said that his father was in prison, and he was trying to help his mother to provide for his little brothers and sisters.

Police Constable 153Y said it was a very hard case. The boy's story was quite true. He was the eldest of a family of six. On going to the house he (the constable) found the food comprised 5 oz. of bread and 2 oz. of dripping. The bedroom was clean, but there was not a particle of bedclothing on the bed.

The legs had been pawn off the table and put on the fire to create warmth for the two youngest children, who were both suffering from whooping cough. They were eight w[illegible] arrear with the rent. He purchas[illegible] food for the family and they see[illegible] thankful. The constable added that the boy had taken the boots off his feet and the shirt off his back and pawned them, buying food for the other children with the money.

The mother stated that her husband would be out of prison in a fortnight.

The Magistrate—For w[illegible] was he sentenced?

Police Constable 153Y—He received a month's hard labor for poaching. No doubt he did it to get food for the younger children.

The boy was discharged, the missionary promising to do what he could for him.

—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, over Terry's Drug Store, Douglas St.

DOUGLAS STREET BARGAIN

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Esquimalt

Aberdeen Street (Lang's Cove), 60 x 120 ..... $2,000

Admiral's Road (2 lots near the cove), the 2 ..... $2100

Constance Ave., near Esquimalt Road and facing on Nelson St.; the two $1,500

Lyall Street, near Lampson, 44 x 116 ..... $700

Viewfield Street, near Lyall, 50 x 132 ..... $650

Lyall Street, corner Nelson (double corner); the 2 ..... $1,600

Easy Terms Can Be Arranged on All the Above Lots.

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New 6 Room Cottage

All conveniences

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A Snap in Aberdeen Street, Lang's Cove, 6 lots, easy terms. Price each $700

3 Waterfront Lots at Royal Bay, beautifully wooded; also two inside lots. Good terms.

3 1-3 Acres, well situated. Price is $10,750

1 3-4 Acres. Price $5,200

3 Acres. Price $15,000

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Temporary Office, Room 8, 1011 Government Street
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60x120, between Douglas and Blanchard. Cheapest lot in the block at Good terms.

$500 per Front Ft.

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Waterfront residence, modern and beautifully situated on sea shore, lot 56x120. Terms very easy. Price $7,000

LOT ON McCASKILL ST. for $700

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Corner Humboldt and Penwell. FACING EMPRESS HOTEL and Site of New Grand Trunk Pacific Hotel. Price, for ten days, two hundred and twenty-five dollars per foot. Property within block held at seven hundred dollars per foot. Good terms. Phone or see owner.

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And 8-Roomed House

Corner Property, 3 minutes from Gorge car. Easy terms. Price is $7,500

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NORTHWEST CORNER FORT AND VANCOUVER.
Size 60x112.

PRICE $21,000, TERMS

This is a splendid corner, and will jump in value upon commencement of street improvements next month.

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OXFORD STREET, lot 55x157½ ft. This lot will be on corner when existing street is extended. For immediate sale, price $1,300

CHATHAM STREET, lot 60x120, between Douglas and Blanchard. Vacant. Price $7,000

DOUGLAS STREET, four-fifths acre, just north of Woodworker's Ltd., mill $10,500

ROCKLAND PARK, corner Shakespeare and King's Road. Price $600

ROCKLAND PARK, corner Ryan and Scott streets.... $500

ESQUIMALT, Admiral's Road, 2 lots, near Lang's Cove. For the two $2,000

VICTORIA WEST, McPherson avenue, splendidly situated lot. Price $1,150

VICTORIA WEST, Fullerton street $1,050

ESQUIMALT, Lyall street, corner; two lots, 100x120. $1,600

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JAMES BAY, dwelling, corner Quebec and St. John street, 10 rooms, modern conveniences; brick and stone foundations. Leased till May. Rent $33.50 monthly. House cost $4,500. This is the cheapest buy in James Bay district. Cash payment $2,500. Price $5,500

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WANTED TO EXCHANGE—House and lot in Victoria for small farm at Sidney.

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50 Lots near the Northeastern boundary of the city

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Two lots from Constance avenue through to Nelson street. Six roomed house, three bedrooms, bath room, pantry, etc. Electric light and three fire places. Two minutes' walk from car line. Easy terms.

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Chapman Street, 3 lots, 41 x 135, to lane, easy terms, at each.....$850

May Street, 2 lots, 40 x 135, to lane, easy terms, at each $950

Southgate Street, 2 lots; one-quarter cash, balance easy, at each.....$1500

Linden Ave., 2 lots; one-quarter cash, balance easy, at each $1450

Fairfield Road, near Linden, 2 large lots; one-third cash, balance easy, each.....$1500

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650 VIEW STREET

Haultain Street—Good corner lot, 50 x 120, fine site. 1-3 cash, balance 6 and 12 months.....$500

Basil Avenue—Nice grassy lot, 60 x 112. 1-3 cash, balance 6 and 12.....$725

Blackwood Street—Good level lot, 56 x 109. Terms, 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months $775

Oxford Street—Splendid building lot, 48 x 131, running to lane. Terms, 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price $1050

Oscar Street—Fine high lot, close to Linden Avenue, 60 x 120. Terms, 1-3 cash, balance 6 and 12 months. $1500

Esquimalt—Good lot, close to waterfront (and proposed dry dock), 60 x 135. Terms, 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. This is the best buy in Esquimalt to-day. Price....$2600

The Above Are All Splendid Buys, and Prices Are Sure to Advance.

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Davie St., 1½ story dwelling, lot 64 x 120. Price $2100

Lot near Burnside Road, 60 x 120 Price $630

New four-roomed house and full sized lot, close to Douglas Street Car. Price $1200

Good lot on Edmonton Road.....$575

Pandora Ave., lot 60 x 120, close in. One-third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price $10,500

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Cormorant Street, between Douglas and Blanchard, one lot 60x140, with large cottage, always rented. One-third cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price $18,000

Humboldt Street, close to Douglas, one lot 32x120, with two cottages. One-third cash; balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. Priced at $7,500

Yates Street, corner of Cook, one lot 60x120. $7,000 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price $15,000

LOTS.

Burleith Subdivision, one large waterfront lot on one of the prettiest parts of the Gorge. One-third cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price $1,600

Cook Street, just outside city limits, 2 lots, 60 x 120 each, each fenced with wire, fronting on watermain. Very easy terms. Price for the two..$700

Burnside Road, one-third acre lot, nicely situated. One-third cash handles this. Price only.....$850

2 Corner Lots on Harbinger Ave. and Fairfield Road, of large size and commanding an excellent view. On terms to suit the purchaser. Interest at 7 per cent. Price for the two is $3,500

Simcoe Street, Caledonia Park, one lot, 50 x 125. Exceptionally good building lot. Terms, one half cash, balance at 7 per cent. interest. Price is $2,000

Fisguard Street, just east of Cook, one large lot with frontage of over 50 and 170 feet in depth. Has frontage on two streets. Terms can be arranged with interest at 7 per cent. Price is $2250

ACREAGE.

Quadra Street, just inside city limits, beautifully situated for sub-dividing. Land is nearly all under cultivation. Terms, with interest at 7 per cent. Price per acre $2,500

HOMES

James Bay, close in, 7 room modern house and lot 60 x 120. This piece of property is priced very low and can be had on easy terms. Price ...$3150

Albany Street, off Gorge Road, 5-room new cottage and ¼ an acre of ground. Nice situation and splendid view of Victoria Arm. Only $900 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price $3200

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1222 Broad Street.

Rithet Street—House containing five rooms, electric light, open grates, hot and cold water, sewer connection, lot 40 x 130. Terms, $350 cash, balance $20 a month. Price $3,000

Discovery Street—9 room house and lot near Douglas Street, modern conveniences. Price $7,500

Davie Street—5 room house, for $2,100

Gorge Road—Near Fountain, 7 room house, modern, in first class order. Price, with terms $7,500

Gorge Road—Corner of Garbally Road, 5 room modern cottage, with full sized lot; interior well finished and in good repair. Price $5,000

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$600—Corner on Charles Street; $100 handles this.

$800—N. Hampshire Road.

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$1500—For two beautiful lots, Wilmot Place.

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$2000—Niagara Street, near the Park and sea.

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Constance Avenue Lot, easy terms $750

Juno Street, two lots on easy terms, for $1300

Victoria West, double corner on three streets, easy terms.....$3000

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For plans and prices apply to L. H. SOLLY, Land Agent, Victoria, or L. E. ALLIN, Local Agent, Parksville.

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Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the trustees of said Company, held on the 28th day of January, 1911, an assessment of two dollars ($2.00) per share was levied upon the capital stock of said Company, payable forthwith to said Company's Secretary, at his office at Barkerville, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 28th day of March, 1911, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 27th day of May, 1911, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with the costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

JAMES BIBBY,
Secretary, Waverly Hydraulic Mining Company, Limited.

Dated at Barkerville, B. C., this 30th day of January, 1911.

NOTICE.

I, the undersigned, beg to give notice that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Victoria for a transfer of the liquor license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail on the premises known as the Fountain Saloon, situated on the corner of John and Government streets, in the City of Victoria, to John Jones.

Dated this 8th day of December, 1910.

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PRESBYTERY WILL PRESENT ADDRESS

Rev. A. Dunn, Pioneer Missionary of Westminster District, to Be Remembered

New Westminster, Feb. 25.—After thirty-five years of active and arduous work in the home missionary field of the Presbyterian church, his scope of activities extending from Mission to Ladner, Rev. Alex. Dunn has now practically retired from the busy life, although still often called upon when his services are needed by the pioneers of the district, all of whom are his friends of long standing.

In view of the long connection of Mr. Dunn with the Presbyterian church in the district of Westminster, it has been decided to present him with an illuminated address. The token of appreciation and esteem will be formally given to Mr. Dunn at a meeting of the Westminster Presbytery to be held here on Wednesday evening, when many of the old-timers will be present. Some of these will deliver addresses or make speeches reminiscent of the early days, and in all probability Mr. Dunn will also be prevailed upon to relate some of his earlier experiences.

Rev. E. D. McLaren, general secretary of home missions, of Toronto, and Principal John McKay, of Westminster Hall, Vancouver, will also deliver addresses.

The presentation is to be made by Rev. J. S. Henderson, on behalf of the Westminster Presbytery.

The meeting, which is to be an adjourned session from the annual meeting being held at the Kitsalano Presbyterian church, is being concluded in this city in order that the address may be given to the veteran missionary in the city which has been his headquarters for so many years.

Much important business is to be transacted at this session of the Presbytery, but the chief items of interest to this city are the calls from the West Side Presbyterian church to Rev. R. W. Collins of Cedar Hill, Vancouver Island, and from St. Stephens Presbyterian church to Rev. M. G. Melvin, of Revelstoke. Mr. Collins is to be the first pastor of the West Side church, which has recently been raised from a missionary station. Mr. Melvin, who is expected to commence his duties at St. Stephens about March 16, has been in his present charge for about eighteen months.

The resignations of Rev. J. H. Cameron, of Westminster church, Vancouver, and of Rev. A. J. McGillivray, of St. John's church, Vancouver, will be considered, as will also be a call to Rev. A. M. Ross, late of Atlin, from the congregation of Pipestone, Man.

The reports of the home and foreign missions, the social and moral reform committee, the Sunday schools and the statistics and finance committees for the year will come up for consideration and adoption.

W. H. ALDRIDGE ENTERTAINED.

Trail, B. C., Feb. 25.—Thirteen years of active endeavor in the smelting and mining industry and of intelligent furtherance of the interests of the Kootenay generally were fittingly recognized by the complimentary banquet given by his Kootenay friends to Walter H. Aldridge, late managing director of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada, who retired on January 1, to become identified with one of the largest mining and smelting corporations of the United States.

In Swartz hall, 150 covers were laid for probably the most representative company of Kootenay men ever assembled for such a purpose, and the banquet was in keeping with the occasion. Mr Aldridge was escorted to the banquet hall by the Trail company of Boy Scouts, and the Trail Citizens band, and his arrival was the signal for a storm of cheers.

Noble Binns, president of the Trail Board of Trade, was chairman, and in that capacity read to Mr. Aldridge the following address:

"Mr. Aldridge, this gathering and these few expressions evidence in a simple way the great good will which the people of the Kootenays, the men of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada, your associates and your friends, entertain for you. In retiring from the active direction of the mining and smelting interests which have been in your charge for the past 12 years, the sentiment is general that, not only the mining districts, but the whole province of British Columbia is losing a capable, conscientious and faithful advocate of the country's welfare.

"The desire to show recognition of the signal services you have performed in the development of the vast and varied resources of the province does not constitute the only motive for admiration and respect. Consistency of character and a uniform regard for the welfare of employees, coupled ever with evidences of fairness, courtesy and high-minded principles have commended a confidence and esteem which promoted the pleasantest relations and insures for you always the kindliest recollections. In the success of all engagements and the achievements of every ambition you have the earnest and cordial following of a host of well wishers who appreciate you as an executive, admire you as a citizen and honor you as a man."

Mr. Aldridge, in replying, expressed regret in parting from his friends of the Kootenay, but stated that while the interests with which he was now associated must command his time and efforts to a very large degree, he would still give the interests of the Kootenay his assistance wherever possible.

—Pride Cigar Factory moved to 643 Johnson street, between Broad and Douglas.

—Lessons in Voice Production and Singing given by Paul Edmonds, of London and Paris, baritone with Tetrazzini on her last British tour. Studio at Waitt's Piano Stores.

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is blended to suit the Canadian palate. Sold only in air-tight packages. A pound of "Salada" makes 200 cups of delicious tea.

QUESTION OF ROAD TAX.

Interesting Point Raised at Meeting of New Westminster City Council.

New Westminster, Feb. 25.—Shall lodgers and roomers whose names are on the householders' voters' list be exempt from paying the $2 road tax to the city? This was the question which was raised in the city council when the amendment to the road tax by-law came up for consideration in committee. Some of the council thought not, while others held the contrary opinion. The by-law finally passed as it stood, however, allowing all those whose names were on the householders' voters' list to escape this tax. It will be further considered at the next meeting of the council.

Mayor Lee raised the question by objecting to the amendment which allowed of men paying only $8 to $9 per month room rent being exempt from the road tax. He thought this not fair and believed that they should help to maintain the city streets and lighting and other improvements the same as property owners or bona fide householders.

Ald. Johnston took much the same stand as the mayor, while Ald. Dodd, the father of the by-law, took the opposite stand. He claimed that there were not 100 roomers or lodgers on the householders' list, and he did not think the resulting $200 taxes would go very far toward paying for light, police protection, etc. There was also the phase of the question that it would tend to encourage all to exercise the rights of their franchise or else pay the $2 road tax. The roomers in question were mostly working men who spent their money in the city.

The question called forth some lengthy discussion, in the course of which it was suggested that a distinction be made in this by-law between bona fide householders and mere lodgers or roomers in hotels or boarding houses. When the question was put to a vote, however, the amended by-law carried, and will come up for reconsideration at the next council meeting.

ALBERNI MOCK PARLIAMENT.

Alberni, Feb. 25.—Prior to the opening of the sitting of the Alberni mock parliament the Morgan administration resigned, and E. M. Whyte, leader of the opposition, was called upon to form a government.

Premier Whyte announced his cabinet as follows: Minister of Mines, E. M. Whyte; provincial secretary and minister of education, H. H. Seale; minister of finance, C. M. Pineo; minister of public works, A. Macfie; minister of lands, H. H. Browne; attorney-general, C. Blandy.

MAYOR OF CUMBERLAND.

Cumberland, Feb. 25.—J. N. McLeod has been elected mayor, defeating P. Stoddart by 67 votes. The figures were: McLeod, 159; Stoddart, 92.

COAL PRICES AT PRINCE RUPERT

Committee of Council Seeks Information as to Cheaper Coal

Prince Rupert, Feb. 25.—The acquirement by the city of coal claims was the subject of some discussion at the council recently.

It had been moved by Alderman Clayton and seconded by Alderman Newton that some action along this line be taken. The former regarded the matter as something quite imperative. Coal was too expensive, and a still supply, such as claims might produce, would last long.

Ald. Newton was in sympathy with the idea. He could not explain the present high cost of coal in Prince Rupert, but he believed it was time for an effort to be made to obtain relief. In saying this, no reflection was cast on the local dealers. The matter had merely been brought up to ascertain the attitude of the council.

Ald. Pattullo doubted if the city had the power to embark on such a course. Coal mining called for heavy expenditure, and there was no certainty that such expenditures would result in the finding of coal.

Ald. Newton suggested that a committee investigate and report back.

Ald. Clayton was not so sure but that the city had the power. A municipal enterprise would be a municipal utility.

Ald. Hildich agreed that not only coal, but numerous other commodities in Prince Rupert were too expensive. This condition of affairs presented a splendid field for investigation.

Ald. Morrissey said he did not wish to see the coal claims idea turned down.

Ald. Clayton's original motion was modified to read "that a select committee be appointed to seek information as to cheaper coal, and report back before any action was taken." This carried.

NELSON LIBRARY GRANT.

Nelson, Feb. 25.—At the city council meeting it was decided to proceed immediately with the preparation of an adequate isolation hospital, and to give a grant of $450 to the Nelson public library.

The finance committee recommended the payment of a number of accounts, among which was one for the eighth installment on the recreation grounds to the C. P. R., and also that the city make a grant of $450 to the public library. The recommendations were adopted unanimously on motion of Ald. Stark, chairman of the finance committee. This sum of $450 is to be paid in quarterly installments as in previous years.

ACCEPTS VANCOUVER CALL.

Vancouver, Feb. 25.—The First Congregational church, which has been without a permanent pastor for the past twelve months, has now secured the services of Rev. J. K. Unsworth, late of Westmount, Montreal. He will commence his ministry on Sunday, March 5, in the temporary church building situated in close proximity to the site upon which the new church is to be erected.

Rev. John Simpson was the former pastor of the church, having held the ministry for a few years, ill-health compelling him to abandon his work. With a view to recuperating he went to Europe for medical treatment.

DEPT. OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE, OTTAWA.

SEALED TENDERS (in duplicate) for the supply of Coal and Fuel Wood required to heat the Military Buildings at Victoria, Vancouver, B. C., for the year ending March 31, 1912, will be received up to Saturday, March 18 next. Each tender is to be marked "Tender for Fuel," and addressed to the Director of Contracts, Militia Headquarters, Ottawa.

Printed forms of tender containing full particulars may be obtained from the Director of Contracts, Militia Headquarters, Ottawa, or at the office of the District Officer Commanding, Victoria, who will furnish all information required.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a Canadian chartered Bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Militia and Defence for five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party making the tender decline to sign a contract when called upon to do so. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

TUGENE FISET, Colonel.
Deputy Minister of Militia and Defence.
Ottawa, February 9, 1911.
(H.Q. 99—11—9)

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NOTICE.

"NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Victoria Machinery Depot Company, Limited, having its registered office in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of works proposed to be constructed in that part of the waters of Victoria Inner Harbor between the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway bridge and the Point Ellice bridge, being on the lands situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and known, numbered and described as Lots number 6, 7, 8, 9, Block K, Harbor Estate, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and a description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar-General of Titles in the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter of the said application will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this tenth day of February, A. D. 1911.

VICTORIA MACHINERY DEPOT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of Dominic Penoni, Deceased, and in the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

Notice is hereby given that, under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Morrison, dated the 8th day of February, A. D., 1911, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of same to me on or before the 15th day of March, 1911, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of February, 1911.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

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L. W. HARGREAVES, Architect, Green Blk., Room 12, Broad St. j4 tf

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P. C. COATES, B. C. Land Surveyor and Dominion Land Surveyor, Room 34, Board of Trade Bldg.

GORE & McGREGOR, British Columbia Land Surveyors and Civil Engineers; J. Harrick McGregor, manager, Chancery Chambers, 52 Langley street. P. O. Box 152. Phone L504. Fort George Office, Second avenue. J. F. Templeton, manager.

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K. OF P.—No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday. K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora Sts. J. L. Smith, K. of R. & S. Box 544.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Winding-up Act, Chapter 144, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, and Amending Acts, and in the Matter of the Fort George Lumber & Navigation Co., Ltd.

The creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 3rd day of April, 1911, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names of their Solicitors, if any, to Herbert Lockwood, of Room No. 210, Dominion Trust Building, Vancouver, B. C., the official liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the Court House, Vancouver, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

(Signed) A. B. POTTENGER,
District Registrar.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned as real estate and commission agents, under the firm name of Galloway & Mackenzie, of Victoria, B. C., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the said partnership are to be paid to A. Mackenzie at his office, Green Block, 1216 Broad street, and all partnership debts to be paid by him, and that the business in future shall be continued under the name of A. Mackenzie.

W. R. GALLOWAY.
A. MACKENZIE.

Victoria, January 23rd, 1911.

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FOR SALE—Typewriter, in good condition. Box A1066, Times. m3

FOR SALE—De Laval cream separator, used but short time, $45. Apply Sluggett Bros., Saanich, or 2621 Rose street. Phone R2755. f27

THE WEAR EVER ALUMINUM UTENSILS are now on view at 610 Pandora. m1

MOTOR BICYCLES FOR SALE—A1 condition, price only $100. Thos. Plimley, 1205 Langley street. f28

FOR SALE—Gent's bicycle, English make, 3-speed, in good condition, price $25. Apply 268 Ontario street. m4

FOR SALE—Paxton strawberry, strong, well-rooted plants, $4 per 1,000. Apply Windsor Grocery Co., Government street, Victoria. m22

FOR SALE—Good black soil. Phone 2714. f27

FOR SALE—Good phaeton, also light express wagon. Apply A. Sheret, 710 Fort street. f14 tf

FOR SALE—Two ship's boats. Apply to Richards' Hall, 1232 Government St. f11 tf

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FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Cockerels, prize stock. Apply H. Allnutt, 1630 Edmonton road, city. f27

HORSES FOR SALE. Apply Jepsen's Transfer, 343 Michigan street. Phone 1982. my6

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Temporarily, competent stenographer, at once. Alexis Martin, Pemberton Building. f27

WANTED—A reliable maidservant to do general house work for family of two. Telephone L806 between nine and ten morning or seven and eight evening. f17 tf

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Thursday last, between Victoria West and James Bay, gold chain bangle, word Xmas on it. Reward on returning to 36 Menzies street. f9

HELP WANTED—MALE

REAL ESTATE—Partner wanted who can sell real estate. Advertiser has good store, centrally located, and could attend to inside work. Apply Box 758, Times. f28

WANTED—Strong youth for grocery delivery wagon. Apply 1031 Cook St. f27

WANTED—An advertising solicitor, at once. Victoria Printing & Publishing Co. f24 tf

WANTED—Boy to learn to be manufacturing jeweller. W. H. Wilkerson. f21 tf

FOR SALE—POULTRY AND EGGS

WEST'S BROWN LEGHORNS and White Plymouth Rocks are prize winners and layers. Eggs, $1.50 per setting. J. West, Third street, off Richmond road, Sub. P. O. No. 1.

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TO LET—A nice suite of housekeeping rooms (unfurnished), central position, ground floor, private front and side entrance, large yard, sheds, etc.; moderate rent to respectable tenant. Apply 964 Mason street. f20 tf

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SNAP—On Fort street, 40x100, close to Oak Bay Junction, price $1,000, terms. Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. Phone 471. f28

30 FEET on Humboldt street, close to Douglas, $12,000, terms. Wallace & Clarke. Phone 471. f28

BEAUTIFUL BUILDING LOT, on Prior street, just off Hillside avenue, a snap at $1,050. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson St. f27

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CLOSE IN—On Pembroke street, a nice lot, near Blanchard street, $1,000. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson street. f27

TWO WATER FRONT LOTS on Burleith, $4,200. T. Redding, Catherine street. f27

TWO LOTS—On Speed avenue, close to Douglas street, $700 each, or $1,350 for both. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson St. f27

TWO LOTS—On Foul Bay road, $800 each, or $1,700 for the two, easy terms. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson street. f27

VICTORIA WEST—3 fine lots, 50x120, off Craigflower road, outside city limits, $450 each, corner lot $850, easy terms. Apply 1223 Dominion road. f27

PORT ANGELES—Five good lots for $100; $15 cash, balance $5 a month. Owner, Box 746, Times. f27

ONTARIO STREET—Lot 60x122 ft., $1,500; $500 cash. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. f28

2 LOTS, corner of Asquith and Edmonton road, 65x128 ft. each, $1,350, easy terms. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates St. f28

ESQUIMALT—8 lots, on Charles street, $5,500; 1-3 cash. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. f28

NICE LOTS on Hulton street, close to Fort street, for $650; ¼ cash, balance easy. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson street. f28

FINE CORNER LOT in Rockland Park for $750; $50 cash, balance $15 per month. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson street. f28

LIST YOUR PROPERTY with us. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson street. f28

WANTED—A full sized lot in the Work Estate; must be a good bargain and at easy terms. Apply P. O. Box 960, city. f24 tf

SNAP—Nice high and dry lot, no rock, on Blackwood street, going for a week at $800, terms to suit. G. S. Leighton, 725 Fort street. f27

COR. OF BELMONT AND GRANT—Lot 110x112½, going for a week at $2,400. G. S. Leighton, 725 Fort. f27

PARKDALE—Corner, 2 lots, $700, easy terms. Pemberton & Son. f27

DOUGLAS STREET—138x300 feet for $7,350, on easy terms. Property of less than 1-10 of this area one block away sold for $10,000. This is a snap. Pemberton & Son. f27

FAIRFIELD—Fine lot, west end of Bushby street, for sale, size 50x120; adjoining lot held at $1,200. W. M. Ritchie, 1010 Cook street. Phone L2644. f28

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120x120, A CORNER, on Cook street, close in, price $4,000, terms. Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. Phone 471. f28

78x120, A CORNER, Cook street. Whoever buys this will make money in thirty days; $2,000, terms. Apply Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. Phone 471. f28

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74 FEET x 104—A corner, on Burdette avenue, close to Douglas street, revenue producing, $12,000, terms easy. Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. Phone 471. f28

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ALBERNI BARGAIN—Two fine lots for $175 the two; $25 down and $10 a month. Lots next to these sold for $125 each and are not so good. Owner, Box 745, Times. f27

FOR SALE—In lots, at Mill Bay, between three and four hundred acres, with about a mile frontage on sea and new trunk road. T. S. Wilkinson, Mill Bay, Cobble Hill P. O. m23

LIST YOUR PROPERTIES for sale with Marriott & Fellows, Phone 645, or call 619 Trounce Ave. f28

A BUSINESS SNAP—Government street property, close in, a double corner and below market price, for only $20,000. Investors should investigate this buy. Positively open for only a few days. Shaw Real Estate Co., 302 Pemberton Block. f27

GRAHAME ST.—Nice lot, a snap at $650, terms to suit. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Bldg., Government St. f27

CORNER LOT—On Craigflower road, $950; terms, $250 cash, balance $10 a month. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Bldg., Government St. f27

PARKDALE—Lot in block one, price $300; terms, $100 cash, balance to suit. Hinkson Siddall & Son, Grand Theatre Bldg., Government street. f27

FOR SALE—Lot, 50x150, and new two room shack, Fifth street, Richmond road, price $850 cash. Apply owner, 1722 Fifth street. f27

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JESSIE STREET, Victoria West, 7 roomed, modern house, lot 60x120, overlooking the Victoria Arm, on the edge of the reserve, $4,..., terms. T. Redding, Catherine street. f27

REDUCED $500 and must be sold at once, nice, 7 roomed, newly built house, on large corner lot, close to the car line, price $4,750. Jalland Bros., 622 Johnson street. f27

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NEW SIX ROOMED HOUSE, on Fullerton avenue, Victoria West, on a boulevarded street, $3,200, easy terms. T. Redding, Catherine street. f27

OAK BAY DISTRICT—A bargain, new 5 roomed bungalow, with bath and all modern conveniences, lot all fenced, size 50x100, price $2,700; terms, $700 cash, balance 3, 6, 8 and 12 months at 7 per cent. Apply Gourlay & Kent, 1216 Green Block. f27

3 ROOMED, NEW HOUSE, hot and cold water, level, grassy lot, henhouse and woodshed (near car), $1,200. Provis, Wilson street. m1

FOR SALE—Six roomed house, with a full sized basement and cement floor, bath and electric lights; cash payment $600, balance on very easy terms. If you want this snap address P. O. Box 1022. m8

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6 ROOMED HOUSE FOR SALE, all modern conveniences, $1,600 cash, or $1,800 on terms, full sized lot. Apply to owner, 1004 McClaskin street, Victoria West, at the end of Langford street. f28

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WHY PAY RENT?—1, 2 or 3 houses, on Douglas street, for sale, on easy terms or on monthly payment. Apply Victoria P. O. Box 85, or telephone M240. f3 tf

FOR SALE—New, modern, 6 roomed bungalow, cement basement and sidewalk, large lot, on Pendergast street. Particulars, apply owner, 1426 Gladstone avenue. Phone R1927. f19

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CINDERELLA, lb.....30¢
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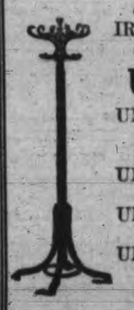

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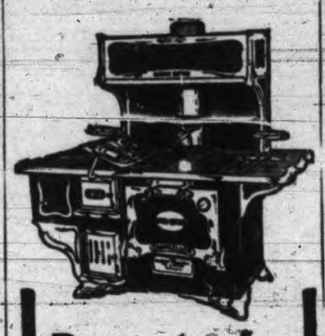

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The Advance Man

"Polly of the Circus."

A rising young preacher of exalted reputation falls in love with a young and handsome circus rider in the play "Polly of the Circus" that will be seen at the Victoria theatre to-morrow evening. Two deacons of the young pastor's church raise all kinds of particular trouble over the affair and the women of the congregation storm in scandalized fashion, but one sympathizes with the preacher and his love for the little circus rider, and loves her too.

"Polly of the Circus" is a protest against the ostracism of show people by the churches. In this production Frederic Thompson reaches out beyond the footlights and taps the conscience of the audience on its shrinking shoulders. The story deals with circus life and shows pictures that are wonderful creations, which only a man like Frederic Thompson can produce, as he has proven to the theatre loving public that he knows what they want in the amusement line, having produced such successes as "Brewster's Millions," "A Fool There Was," the big New York success; "The Spendthrift," and the success of "Polly of the Circus" is nothing short of wonderful.

We will see a very realistic circus on the stage, showing the sawdust ring as we saw it on the lot many and many a time, with the clowns, acrobats, gymnasts, bareback riders, ringmasters, tumblers, the beautiful horses and ponies that do the most remarkable tricks, and "Little Hip," the performing elephant, and the aerial acts, all on the stage of a theatre, which is phenomenal. This is the same production that played one solid year at the Liberty theatre, New York city. Watch for the street parade.

"The Temple of Fame."

In the "Temple of Fame," which will be given under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Paterson, in the Victoria theatre on Wednesday will be seen one of the greatest attractions of the season.

In the halls of fame and beauty presided over by the Goddess of Fame—Mrs. Gideon Hicks—will be seen many famous women, both of ancient and modern times, pleading for the "crown of fame" which the goddess is to award to the one found most worthy. Over thirty claimants in costume will be heralded, each one making her plea before the goddess, seated on her throne. Among these will be Helen of Troy, Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch, Mother Goose, Marie Antoinette, Rosa Bonheur, Isabella of Spain, Sappho, Grace Darling, Zantippe, Mary Queen of Scots, Frances Willard, Flora Macdonald and others, many of whom plead in song.

Among other attractions will be several choruses, one by twenty-five Roman children, another by Miriam and her Hebrew maidens and the full chorus of fifty voices. "The Temple of Fame" has been given in Toronto and Winnipeg with splendid success. There is a cast of over seventy, including thirty speaking parts, making it one of unusual strength. The rehearsals and training have been under the direction of Mrs. Michael Hallward.

There are still a few boxes for sale. The sale of tickets at the box office began this morning.

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Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co., duly instructed by D. D. Dewar, Esq., will sell on his behalf in the Bar Room at the Old Driard Hotel, on Tuesday, Feb. 28th, at 2.30 o'clock sharp, a quantity of Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Cigarettes, Tobaccos, etc., including Clarets, Hocks, Chablis, Sauternes, Steinweins, Chambertins, Preller's Wines, Burgundys, Gin, about 20,000 Cigars, including such well known brands as "Flor de Bahama," "Waldorf Astoria," "Marguerite," "Premiums," "La Pena," "La Flor Abeja," "Monopoles," "Virginia," "A. J. B.," "La Flor de Panetilla," etc., a quantity of Cigarettes, Tobacco and other goods.

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